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JAPAN TROOPS DRIVE INTO CHINA'S "HOLY LAND"

Sir G. H. Perley Dies Suddenly At Home In Ottawa

Passing Closes Career of Four Decades in Service of Canada

Regret Is Voiced By Premier King

OTTAWA (CP)—Rt. Hon. Sir George Perley, veteran member of parliament for Argenteuil and chief lieutenant of Conservative Leader R. B. Bennett, died in his sleep at his home here early today. He was 80 years old.

Sir George had been in his usual vigorous health, attending the Governor-General's levee and making a round of calls New Year's Day. Just a week ago today Sir George and Lady Perley gave a large dance for a debutante granddaughter.

He had been active in Canada's political life for more than 40 years.

IN CHEERFUL MOOD.

Sir George gave no indication of ill-health before retiring last night. Active participation in the holiday festivities had left him in the best of health, as cheery as ever. After attending the Governor-General's levee Saturday, he proudly told a member of his family, "I looked around and I was the oldest man there."

Always looking and acting like a man far younger than his years, Sir George had gone north on a fishing trip early last fall and later spent a holiday at Virginia Hot Springs.

His death will bring a by-election in Argenteuil.

PREMIER'S TRIBUTE

A warm tribute to the worth and services of the late Sir George arising out of friendly associations for nearly 40 years, was paid by Prime Minister King. Sir George was one of the first to extend a welcome to Mr. King when he first came to Ottawa to enter the civil service in 1900.

A statement issued by the Prime Minister said:

"By virtue of a long and active career, Sir George Perley occupied a foremost place in our public life. For over three decades, (Turn to Page 2, Col. 3)

Williams, Wills On Police Commission

Elected By Council to Join Mayor on New Board; Committees Named

Alderman Ed. Williams and Archie Wills were elected by their fellow members on the City Council to act with Mayor Andrew McGavin on the 1938 police commission as Victoria completed its new set-up for that board last night.

Alderman Williams was elected by a clear majority of seven votes on the first ballot in which Alderman W. Lloyd Morgan ran second with five and Alderman Wills third with four.

Question was raised by H. S. Pringle, city solicitor, over the method of taking the second ballot, when M. F. Hunter, city clerk called for the elimination of those receiving the fewest number of votes on the first ballot. As a result the second was left uncounted. On the third, Alderman Morgan was second with four and Alderman Wills third with one.

The selection of the commissioners overshadowed all other committee appointments recommended by the mayor and adopted by the council.

ADAM ACTING MAYOR

As expected, Alderman W. L. Morgan was made chairman of the finance committee. Alderman S. H. Okell was named chairman of the relief committee, and Alderman James Adam was appointed acting mayor over the objection of Alderman Worthington.

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STEEL HERE FOR WAR BOAT

Laying of Keel For Mine Sweeper Will Take Place Shortly

Delivery of the first consignment of steel for the new minesweeper which will be built by Yarrows Ltd. for the Federal Department of Defence points to an early start on the construction of the vessel at the Esquimalt shipbuilding plant.

Preliminary preparations are being made for the building berth at the Esquimalt plant and it is understood the laying of the keel will take place in the immediate future.

The first shipment of steel plates for the new minesweeper was delivered here today at the Canadian National yards at Point Esquimalt. The steel came from Hamilton, Ont., and was brought here from the mainland by barge.

Four minesweepers are being built by the Dominion National Defence Department, one by Yarrows Ltd. of Esquimalt; one by the Burrard Drydock Company Ltd. of North Vancouver, one by the Collingwood Shipyards Ltd. of Collingwood, Ont., and one by the Morton Engineering and Drydock Company Ltd., Quebec.

No details are as yet available regarding the structural design and power of these war vessels.

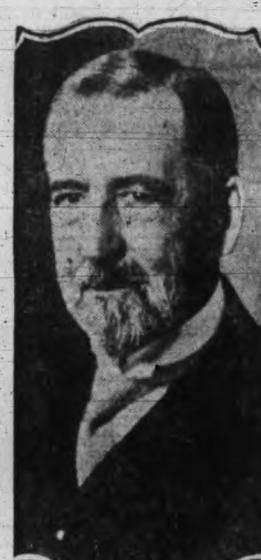
Inquiry at the Yarrows' plant this morning elicited the information that the delivery of first steel to the company was promising for an early start on construction, but no definite date could be given for the keel-laying ceremonies.

A large number of artisans will be employed on the construction of the vessel.

TRADE IN HIDES

OTTAWA (CP)—Canada's November imports of hides and skins were valued at \$540,326, compared with \$546,806 in November, 1936, the Dominion Bureau of Statistics reported today.

Served Canada



LATE SIR GEORGE H. PERLEY

SPEECH AID TO DEMOCRACIES

British-French Press Welcomes Roosevelt's Address to U.S. Congress

LONDON (CP-Havas)—

The press as a whole today

greeted Mr. Roosevelt's re-

marks on foreign policy in his

message to the United States

Congress Monday as support-

ing the view of British public

opinion in its desire to see the

democracies banded together

to face the perils resulting

from the ambitions of the to-

talitarian powers.

The President "carefully

measured his words when he said:

"World peace" through international agreements is safest in the hands of democracies," commented The London Daily Telegraph, Conservative. This seems to suggest not only the value of international agreements as an instrument of peace, but also the desirability of co-operation between peace-loving and treaties-observing democracies."

In this country and freedom-loving France any speech by Mr. Roosevelt is now big news," The London Daily Herald, Labor, said.

"All look for signs of a change in American foreign policy, for

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New City Council Settles Down to Work



The City Council held its opening meeting for 1938 last night. Mayor Andrew McGavin presented his inaugural address and named the standing committees. In the top picture the aldermen are shown in their semi-circle. Alderman James Adam, standing, is moving the adoption of the Mayor's address. Next to him sits Ald. Robert Dewar, Ald. Archie Wills, Ald. Edward Williams, Ald. Stanley Okell, Ald. Lloyd Morgan, Ald. John Worthington, Ald. Alex Peden and Ald. William Davies. Ald. Burges Gadsden, who sits between Aldermen Peden and Davies, did not come within the focus of the camera. Inset are Mayor McGavin and in front of him Frank M. Hunter, right, city clerk, and Percy Wright, assistant city clerk.

Four Destroyers Will Return Here In Early Spring

Saguenay and St. Laurent to Accompany Skeena and Fraser

With the departure of H.M.C.S. Skeena and H.M.C.S. Fraser from Esquimalt Harbor on their South American cruise today it became known that on their return to ward the latter part of April they will be accompanied by H.M.C.S. Saguenay and H.M.C.S. St. Laurent from the Halifax station.

There is no information as to how long they will remain here.

The Skeena and Fraser, forming the Pacific Coast destroyer division of the Canadian navy, steamed out of Esquimalt Harbor at 10 this morning on a cruise of three-and-a-half months to Central and South American ports which will take them as far south as Callao, Peru.

The first stop will be at San Pedro, Calif., where the destroyers will arrive next Friday. They will remain there until January 11.

The human side of the navy was revealed with the departure of the Skeena and Fraser. Regulations were relaxed to give the relatives of officers and ratings an opportunity of bidding fare-

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well. Even the police stationed at the dockyard gates relaxed their customary vigilance to wave everyone on as they trooped into the dockyard driveway.

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DETROIT (AP)—Capt. Donald S. Leonard of the state police announced this afternoon that Gertrude Bennett, missing 17-year-old daughter of Harry Bennett, Ford Motor Company personnel director, and Russell Hughes were married at 6 Monday evening, in Auburn, Indiana.

Capt. Leonard said he had learned of the marriage from County Clerk Carl Walter at Auburn. He said, however, the couple had not been found.

The marriage, Capt. Leonard said, was performed by Justice of the Peace Miles Baxter at Auburn.

Miss Bennett gave her birth date as May 22, 1918, which would make her 19 years old. She actually is 17.

Earlier dispatches, sent before

Capt. Leonard's report, of the

marriage, told how the castle-like

home of Harry H. Bennett, be-

tween Ypsilanti and Ann Arbor,

Mich., seethed with activity this

morning as an intense search

was launched for his missing

daughter, Gertrude.

At that time the chief cause for

alarm in connection with the case

was due to the prominence of the

girl's father, chief of the far-flung

Ford Motor Company's personnel

and head of its private police

force. Bennett has been threat-

ened with death frequently, and

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SEVERAL ROUTES

The investigation involved the

consideration of several possible

routes from Montreal to New York

by way of Lake Champlain.

The commission had filed its

report with the governments of

the United States and Canada.

The report suggested the pro-

posal be further considered in the

event of the St. Lawrence Sea-

way project being completed.

The request for an inquiry as

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ARMY TAKES CONFUCIUS'S BIRTHPLACE

Japanese Report Capture of Chufu and Other Towns in Shantung Province; British and U.S. Vessels in Yangtze Man Guns While Forty Japanese Planes Attacking Hankow, But No Bombs Fall Near Craft

SHANGHAI (AP)—Japanese infantry columns Thursday drove deep into the "holy land of China"—central Shantung province—and reported capture of cities more than 50 miles south of Tsinan, the already occupied provincial capital.

(Domei, the Japanese news agency, in a dispatch to Tokio, said the Japanese vanguard had captured Chufu, 70 miles south of Tsinan, where Confucius, China's great sage, was born in 500 B.C.

(The Japanese army said it would accord full protection to the tombs of Confucius at Chufu to the great Confucian temple there and to the present duke or king, 77th liberal descendant of the sage, now chief ritualist of his temple).

A Japanese spokesman, reporting "steady progress" on the march through Shantung, said the Japanese column had seized Tawenkow, on the Tienhsin-Pukow railway 50 miles below Tsinan. Another force, advancing west of the railway, was said to have taken Anchuan, also about 50 miles south of Tsinan.

The spokesman said the Chinese had set fire to Tawenkow before fleeing from the town. Five other towns along the railway were reported captured.

Suchew is the main objective of the Japanese north China forces. Its capture would give the Japanese all the trunk railway linking Peiping and Tientsin with Nanking and Shanghai.

RAID ON HANKOW

Japanese planes also struck far into China's interior Tuesday in a raid which the Japanese navy spokesman declared was intended to "crush China's reorganized air force consisting of large numbers of Soviet planes."

Forty Japanese bombers flew 400 miles west of their bases near Shanghai, delivered an attack on the Chinese airbase at Hankow and returned without the loss of a single plane, the spokesman reported. Hankow is one of China's temporary capitals.

Foreign reports from Hankow said British and United States gunboats in the Yangtze River manned their guns, ready to defend themselves against attacks by the Japanese air squadrons. The planes, however, made no move to molest the warships.

The Japanese air raiders were said to have dropped about 70 bombs, "a majority missing their objectives." The big Hanyang arsenal appeared to be the main object of attack.

Three Chinese were killed and 16 injured, the advoates said.

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AUTO DEATHS NEW RECORD

Preliminary Figures For B.C. Show Enormous Toll in 1937

In a preliminary survey of the 1937 traffic toll in British Columbia, the British Columbia Police motor vehicle branch today said deaths for the year reached a new high record.

While official figures will not be completed for two or three weeks an estimate of 120 dead in road accidents was said to be probably low. In the first 11 months of the year 109 persons were killed. December figures, now being compiled, will swell this to a new record. In 1936, 102 persons died in traffic accidents.

In all phases the situation was serious, officials said. On the basis of figures now available, the number of accidents in 1937 ran about 26 per cent higher than 1936, injured persons increased about 11 per cent, deaths were up 29 per cent, and property damage up more than 40 per cent.

With 10 per cent more cars licensed, some increase in the traffic toll was expected, but preliminary figures indicated it was out of all proportion to the increase in cars, they said.

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In Vancouver**

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NOISES**

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TERUEL BATTLE FOUGHT IN SNOW

Troops Struggle Within Spanish City as Weather Checks Operations Outside

SIR G. H. PERLEY DIES
SUDDENLY AT HOME
IN OTTAWA

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HENDAYE, Franco-Spanish Frontier (AP) — Beleaguered insurgents and Spanish government troops fought today through the ice-crusted streets of Teruel, in guerrilla warfare that may determine the tide of the Spanish civil conflict.

Snow checked offensives by the 200,000 troops of the two forces

on the front encircling Teruel, and sleet-grounded airplanes and bogged motorized units in the mountainous terrain.

But within the city itself, 150 miles to the east of Madrid, there was crackle of rifle fire and fighting at close range.

Both sides claimed control of the provincial capital. It appeared the insurgents held the advantage, but an earlier announcement of complete domination of the Teruel front was not borne out.

For Lady Perley . . . there will be felt in the capital and throughout Canada a deep and genuine sympathy."

As a lifelong friend and colleague in the Sir Robert Borden cabinet of 1911, Hon. Martin Burrell, now Parliamentary Librarian, expressed his grief at the death of Sir George Perley. He was

finer example of devotion to his country's welfare would be hard to find, Mr. Burrell said.

Sir George's death leaves three surviving members of the 1911 Borden cabinet — Sir Thomas White, Mr. Burrell and Hon. W. B. Nantel of St. Jerome, Que.

Prime Minister King was expected to announce as soon as possible whether or not any special state honors would feature Sir George's funeral. Wishes of the family would be the deciding factor.

BENNETT'S TRIBUTE

CALGARY (CP) — Death of Sir George Perley, veteran parliamentarian, in Ottawa today removed one of the outstanding figures in the public life of Canada and the Empire, said Rt. Hon. R. B. Bennett, Conservative leader, in paying tribute to his late colleague in Parliament.

"The sudden passing of Sir George is so great a shock that I find it difficult, in fact, almost impossible to express in words my sorrow at the loss of one whom I held in affectionate regard on any real appreciation of his varied and valued services to the state," said Mr. Bennett.

"He was not only a former colleague in government but one of my most beloved and intimate friends."

Few Canadians have had the opportunity of giving such long and diversified service to their country as was Rt. Hon. Sir George Halsey Perley. He was

first elected to the House of Commons in 1904.

In private life Sir George played a large part in the development of the once-famous Ottawa River Valley lumber industry, following in his father's footsteps in this respect, even as he had followed him into the House of Commons. He was a philanthropist and several human institutions in Ottawa were supported through the generosity of Sir George and his family.

BORN IN UNITED STATES

Born in Lebanon, New Hampshire, September 12, 1857, Sir George was a son of William G. Perley, one-time member of parliament for Ottawa, and his wife, the former Mabel Tichnor Stevens. His early education was gained at the Ottawa grammar school, after which he attended St. Paul's High School, Concord, N.H., and Harvard University, where he secured his B.A. in 1878.

In 1900 Sir George unsuccessfully contested the federal constituency of Russell, Ont., and he was defeated two years later in a by-election in Argenteuil, Que. In 1904 he was returned for Argenteuil, and was re-elected in 1908 and 1911. He was appointed chief Conservative Party whip in 1910 and shared in the campaign which led up to the defeat of the Laurier government. In 1911 he was sworn into the cabinet of Sir Robert Borden as minister without portfolio. In June, 1914, Sir George took charge of the Canadian High Commissioner's office in London.

Thus he was in Britain when the Great War broke out and became Minister of Overseas Military Forces, the first to hold that post. He remained as High Commissioner until 1922.

IN WAR CABINET

While in London, Sir George was a member of the first Imperial War Cabinet in 1917, and he attended the Imperial Conference of that year. He held the opinion the Canadian Government in London should be in sympathy with that government and consequently, after the ministry of Rt. Hon. Arthur Meighen was defeated late in 1921, and a Liberal administration under Rt. Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King took office, he resigned, returning to his home in Ottawa.

It was not long, however, before he re-entered to active political life.

In 1925 he was elected Conservative member for the Argenteuil, Que., constituency in the Commons and on his re-election in 1930, when the Conservatives under Rt. Hon. R. B. Bennett assumed office, he was made minister without portfolio, becoming senior member of the cabinet. He was re-elected in the general election of 1935, ceasing to be a cabinet member when the Bennett ministry went out of office.

During his cabinet career he was Acting Prime Minister several times during absences of Mr. Bennett. One of these times was in 1933, when Sir George was in his 76th year and Mr. Bennett at the World Economic Conference.

TWICE MARRIED

Sir George married first in 1884 Annie Hespeler, daughter of Ward H. Bowley, K.C., of Kitchener, Ont. She died in 1910 and in 1913 he married Emily Colby White, a lady of grace of St. John of Jerusalem, daughter of Hon. Thomas White, one-time minister of the interior. One child, a daughter, became the wife of Captain Irvin Robertson. To perpetuate the name, Sir George having no son, Captain Robertson changed his name to Perley-Roberton.

In 1915 he was made a Knight of the Order of St. Michael and St. George.

**MONTREAL-NEW YORK
WATERWAY VETOED**
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GUNMEN TAKE \$50,000 IN HOME

Armed Men Hold Up Two
Women in House at Kings
Point, N.Y.

KINGS POINT, N.Y. (AP)

Four gunmen invaded the palatial home of J. Edward Meyer today, held six persons prisoner for more than an hour and then fled with jewelry and other valuables reported to be worth \$50,000.

As Mrs. Meyer and her daughter, Florence, left the home, an automobile pulled up to the curb and four gunmen jumped out.

They forced the two women to return to the home and there, while three of the men searched for loot, the fourth held them and four servants prisoners in the kitchen.

Before the robbers left, Mrs. Meyer and her daughter and the servants, three of whom were maid-servants, were trussed up chairs. Most of the loot was in a small safe, which the robbers carted away with them.

FOUR DESTROYERS WILL
RETURN HERE IN EARLY
SPRING

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Wives, mothers, children and sweethearts gathered in groups about the naval jetty, where the Skeena was moored. Similar scenes were witnessed at the side of the Fraser, which was berthed alongside the old drydock wharf.

IN WAR CABINET
The crew stood rigidly at attention as Commander Charles T. Beard, officer-in-charge of the Esquimalt naval station, was piped aboard the Skeena to bid farewell to Capt. Victor Brodeur, the destroyer's commander.

The ship's bugler again brought the complement to attention as Brigadier D. J. Macdonald, commanding officer of Military District No. 11, accompanied by Lieut.-Col. C. E. Connolly and Major J. C. Murchie, arrived from Work Point and boarded the ship to pay their respects to the commanding officer.

As the visiting officers came ashore there was instant action aboard the destroyer.

Capt. Brodeur left his quarters

aft and climbed to the bridge.

Orders were megaphoned and whistles shrilled as the lines holding the ship to the jetty were cast off.

At the same time the Fraser backed out into the stream from her berth.

With the Skeena leading, the

personnel of both destroyers

stood at attention at the ship's

rails as Commander Beard took

the salute from the jetty.

As the warships rounded the

Fisgard lighthouse and dis-

appeared in the mist off the harbor

mouth, the crowd silently dis-

persed.

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route was the most practicable from an engineering standpoint, and the least impracticable from an economic point of view. Even in the case of this Richelieu route, however, it appeared that the estimated annual carrying charges for a 12-foot waterway from the St. Lawrence to the Hudson would amount to approximately \$553,000, while the maximum potential annual saving in transportation costs that would result from using this waterway rather than the existing routes would not be more than \$8,800.

The corresponding figures for a 14-foot waterway would be \$2,638,600, and \$76,000; and for a 27-foot waterway, \$17,646,000 and \$4,710,240.

"In other words," said a statement by the commission accompanying the report, "Canada and the United States would have to pay each year for the privilege of using the new waterway between the St. Lawrence and the Hudson via the Richelieu and Lake Champlain, if these figures are approximately correct, nearly four times the amount saved in transportation costs, if it were a 27-foot channel; 36 times the saving if it were a 12-foot channel; and 16 times the saving if it were a 14-foot channel."

The commission has therefore recommended to the governments of Canada and the United States that the report just filed be considered as merely an interim report, and that it be authorized to retain jurisdiction over the matter until the St. Lawrence Waterway has become an accomplished fact.

SPEECH AID TO DEMOCRACIES
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Streamlining has been advocated for American cotton bales, to make them look more tidy.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Mrs. Foot reopened her studio, violin, cello, piano, on Monday, January 3. Rhythm Band Saturday morning, 719 Cook Street, E 4952.

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Women's Canadian Club, Empress, Tuesday, January 11, 2:45. Musical and dramatic programme. Bursary Fund. Tickets 50c. Fletcher's Music Store. Secure before January 10, as seating capacity limited. Tea tickets 50c extra, at Fletcher's.

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Hughes is a 20-year-old Michigan Normal College student, drummer and clog dancer.

While the search was being started, Bennett said that "If something hadn't happened to Trudie she would let us know where she was." He added, "If she wanted to get married she would have told me about it. She knows I couldn't stop her; my daughters run me."

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**Old Kentucky
CIGARETTES**

German press today scoffed at the proposal for co-operation among world democracies made by President Roosevelt in his message to the United States Congress Monday.

The National Zeitung of Essen declared, under a headline reading "Unconscious America," that "an attempt to establish a liaison between the so-called contempt of treaty obligations and suppression of the vices of a parliamentary democracy in various European countries appears to us to confirm that the United States has little knowledge of the realities of the old world."

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DISCOURTESY COST U.S. FAMOUS RELIC

Admiral Paul Jones's Sextant Owned By Canadian Mayor

SAINT JOHN, N.B. (CP)—In a safe at the home of Mayor D. L. MacLaren lies a priceless relic of a great United States naval hero. It is the sextant of Admiral John Paul Jones.

How a disreputable secretary at Washington deprived the United States of this relic 32 years ago is told by Ian Slander in an article revealing why the sextant remains in private possession here instead of being proudly displayed on the other side of the border.

The mayor's father, J. S. MacLaren, inspector of customs for New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island, owned valuable collections of stamps, coins, medals and curios. The sextant was presented to him by a friend.

The Smithsonian Institute issued an appeal for relics of Paul Jones. The father of Saint John's present mayor considered this.

MacLaren consulted United States Consul Warner.

"That is a priceless relic," reported Warner.

"Well," replied MacLaren, "it was given to me and it would go against the grain to sell it. Under the circumstances I think I should present it to the United States. There's just one thing I would like for it—Theodore Roosevelt's signature."

"Why don't you write him a letter offering it to the people of the United States?" asked Warner. "You'd get his signature on his reply accepting it."

So MacLaren wrote, but his letter failed to reach Theodore Roosevelt. It was opened and answered by a minor secretary. The reply was a pompous, disreputable note acidly informing MacLaren that if he wanted to make any present to the United States he must submit his offer through the red tape of diplomatic channels.

LOSE HOPE OF FINDING FLIER

DAUPHIN, Man. (CP)—Hope of finding Michael Sawchuk, missing Sifton flier, alive was渺茫 today, but searchers prepared to resume the hunt in the Riding Mountain Park, just south of Dauphin, for the 22-year-old airman. It is feared his plane crashed in the Duck Mountains during a flight last Thursday.

Chief hopes of searchers was with the airplane pilots. Jack Herriot of Mid-Canadian Airways, and Pilot Bob Gibson and Cecil Leech of the Brandon Flying Club, for road conditions hampered the land searchers.

An undersea bank only 20 fathoms under water has been discovered near Cuba, where previous charts had shown a depth of 1,000 fathoms.

WHEN A COUGH OR COLD STRIKES

January 3, 8 p.m.—Shipping: ELIZABETH BAKKE for Vancouver, 450 miles southwest of Everett. GLOOMY for New York, 1,513 miles from Los Angeles; 513 miles from New York.

January 4, 12 noon—Weather: Everett—Rain; southeast, light; 30.36; 45; light swell.

Seattle—Overcast; southeast, light; 30.28; 45; light swell.

Switzerland—Drizzling rain; east-northeast, light; 30.47; light westerly swell.

Cape Town—Part cloudy; smooth.

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Cape Town—Part cloudy; smooth.

London—Smooth.

Paris—Smooth.

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January 10, 12 noon—Weather:

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Seattle—Overcast; southeast, light; 30.28; 45; light swell.

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January 12, 12 noon—Weather:

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Seattle—Overcast; southeast, light; 30.28; 45; light swell.

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London—Smooth.

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Cape Town—Part cloudy; smooth.

London—Smooth.

Paris—Smooth.

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GLOOMY for New York, 1,513 miles from Los Angeles.

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Seattle—Overcast; southeast, light; 30.28; 45; light swell.

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Cape Town—Part cloudy; smooth.

London—Smooth.

Paris—Smooth.

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GLOOMY for New York, 1,513 miles from Los Angeles.

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Seattle—Overcast; southeast, light; 30.28; 45; light swell.

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Cape Town—Part cloudy; smooth.

London—Smooth.

Paris—Smooth.

January 19, 8 p.m.—Shipping:

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GLOOMY for New York, 1,513 miles from Los Angeles.

January 20, 12 noon—Weather:

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Seattle—Overcast; southeast, light; 30.28; 45; light swell.

Switzerland—Drizzling rain; east-northeast, light; 30.47; light westerly swell.

Cape Town—Part cloudy; smooth.

London—Smooth.

Paris—Smooth.

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GLOOMY for New York, 1,513 miles from Los Angeles.

January 22, 12 noon—Weather:

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Seattle—Overcast; southeast, light; 30.28; 45; light swell.

Switzerland—Drizzling rain; east-northeast, light; 30.47; light westerly swell.

Cape Town—Part cloudy; smooth.

London—Smooth.

Paris—Smooth.

January 23, 8 p.m.—Shipping:

ELIZABETH BAKKE for Vancouver, 450 miles southwest of Everett.

GLOOMY for New York, 1,513 miles from Los Angeles.

January 24, 12 noon—Weather:

Everett—Rain; southeast, light; 30.36; 45; light swell.

Seattle—Overcast; southeast, light; 30.28; 45; light swell.

Switzerland—Drizzling rain; east-northeast, light; 30.47; light westerly swell.

Cape Town—Part cloudy; smooth.

London—Smooth.

Paris—Smooth.

January 25, 8 p.m.—Shipping:

ELIZABETH BAKKE for Vancouver, 450 miles southwest of Everett.

GLOOMY for New York, 1,513 miles from Los Angeles.

January 26, 12 noon—Weather:

Everett—Rain; southeast, light; 30.36; 45; light swell.

Seattle—Overcast; southeast, light; 30.28; 45; light swell.

Switzerland—Drizzling rain; east-northeast, light; 30.47; light westerly swell.

Cape Town—Part cloudy; smooth.

London—Smooth.

Paris—Smooth.

January 27, 8 p.m.—Shipping:

ELIZABETH BAKKE for Vancouver, 450 miles southwest of Everett.

GLOOMY for New York, 1,513 miles from Los Angeles.

January 28, 12 noon—Weather:

Everett—Rain; southeast, light; 30.36; 45; light swell.

Seattle—Overcast; southeast, light; 30.28; 45; light swell.

Switzerland—Drizzling rain; east-northeast, light; 30.47; light westerly swell.

Cape Town—Part cloudy; smooth.

London—Smooth.

Paris—Smooth.

January 29, 8 p.m.—Shipping:

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GLOOMY for New York, 1,513 miles from Los Angeles.

January 30, 12 noon—Weather:

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Italian Hand In Egypt

THE WORKINGS OF A FINE ITALIAN hand are behind the political crisis in Egypt which resulted yesterday in disorders in Cairo with the defeat of the government after King Farouk sought to suspend Parliament for a month.

Rome has been directing a campaign in Egypt as part of the Anglo-Italian struggle for control of the Mediterranean. Italian agents have been able to get the ear of the courtiers who influence the 18-year-old king. They have persuaded him that he must free himself and the country from English domination and that Mussolini is the man to help him do it. Against this has been Nahas Pasha, leader of the Nationalist party, who wants Egypt to work with London, and who was promised a few days ago when he was ousted to make way for a government of Farouk's choosing.

With radio and other means of propaganda, agents in the Egyptian communities are impressing the natives with the greatness of Italian Fascism and with the weakness of Britain, which, they "prove" was defeated by Italy on several occasions. Aiding the growing Italian influence has been the organization of the Blue Shirts, ostensibly a nationalist political group, but in reality, a Fascist agency of Mussolini. It was recently disclosed that funds for its nationwide propaganda come from Italian sources.

Developments in Egypt as well as in other parts of the Mediterranean strengthen the conviction that the Italo-British crisis must sooner or later develop into an open feud.

Believers In Democracy

ALTHOUGH HIS MESSAGE TO CONGRESS yesterday covered a wide range of subjects of national and international significance and importance, President Roosevelt's reference to world conditions and the instability of their nature was a clear indication to the powers that "world peace through international agreements is most safe in the hands of democratic representative government"—or, in other words, "peace is most greatly jeopardized in and by those nations where democracy has been discarded, or has never developed."

Mr. Roosevelt touched on this theme with the Panay incident evidently uppermost in his mind, for he made it equally clear that in this day of undependable treaty obligations "on the part of others" the United States "must be adequately strong in self-defence." Naturally the President was glad to inform Congress that his country was at peace, and that "it has been kept at peace despite provocations which in other days, because of their seriousness, could well have engendered war." The message continued on this line:

"But in a world of high tension and disorder, in a world where stable civilization is actually threatened, it becomes the responsibility of each nation which strives for peace at home and peace with and among others to be strong enough to assure the observance of those fundamentals of peaceful solution of conflicts which are the only ultimate basis for orderly existence."

"Resolve in our determination to respect the rights of others, and to command respect for the rights of ourselves, we must make ourselves adequately strong in self-defence."

"Our people believe that over the years democracies of the world will survive, and democracy will be restored or established in those nations which may know it not. In that faith lies the future of mankind."

Canadian opinion and British peoples everywhere will agree with the sentiments as they were related to international conditions—to which President Roosevelt gave expression in his eagerly-awaited address. If there is nothing especially new in them, they at least reaffirm the general view of the administration at Washington. The fact remains, of course, that something in the nature of a "new lead" had been expected.

Two In Every Tent

SPEAKING OF UNDECLARED WARS, the latest is that, which got under way last night when Britain joined battle with Italy in the radio bombardment of the Arabic world. The Italians for some time have been so effectively propagandizing the Arabic by radio against Britain, that the British government felt itself forced to resort to the same weapon in an effort to hold its own in the Near East.

Battle by radio is one kind of war welcomed by the people who are being fought over. To the delight of the Arabs, Britain and Italy are out for bigger and better Arabic programmes. Last evening London put on an eastern prince as its programme headliner. Italy countered with one of the Moslem world's favorite "jazz" musicians. Italy has been flooding the Arabic world with free radio receiving sets tuned so that they catch only Italian programmes. Britain, to gain listeners is reported to be sending out thousands of free radio sets that will receive only British broadcasts from the Daventry station, England. Arabs may never like people on this continent, have looked forward to an era of two chickens in every pot and two cars in every garage, but they can now anticipate two free radios in every tent—and not even a license fee to pay. Altogether we feel this idea of war by radio has possibilities as well as advantages.

Welcomed By British Press

THAT PART OF PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT'S ADDRESS TO CONGRESS yesterday which deals with international affairs appears to have been cordially welcomed by the British press generally. The Conservative Daily Telegraph thinks his reference to international agreements suggests not only their value as an instrument of peace, but emphasizes the desirability of co-operation between peace-loving and treaty-observing democracies." The chief opposition paper, The Daily Herald, says: "In this country and in freedom-loving France any speech by President Roosevelt is now big news. All look for signs of a change in American foreign policy, for evidence that isolationism is a waning faith and that America is moving towards effective practical co-operation with the two big European democracies."

Columns have been written and hundreds of speeches have been delivered in recent years suggestive of what is an undisputed fact, that if the United States would adopt as "an instrument of national policy" the sort of co-operation referred to by the two London dailies we have quoted, the peoples of the world who are hoping and praying that democracy will survive would feel easier in their minds. It is often forgotten, however, that any President of the United States, be he Republican or Democrat, is uppermost in his mind the conflicting views of 130,000,000 Americans when he writes a message to Congress—whether that message is to be a reaffirmation of opinions already expressed or the enunciation of a new governmental formula for diplomatic relationship with foreign nations. There is little doubt, of course, about Mr. Roosevelt's personal opinions.

50 Years of T.B. Control

THE FIRST CLINIC FOR THE DIAGNOSIS, treatment, and control of tuberculosis was established just 50 years ago in Edinburgh by Sir Robert W. Philip. The importance of this anniversary can be measured all over the western world in lives and money saved and human misery avoided. The principles on which Sir Philip, then an unknown young physician, organized his clinic have served with very little change, the editor of the American Journal of Public Health points out, as the basis of all the efforts since then which have been effective in the fight against tuberculosis.

At the time this clinic, the Victoria Dispensary for Consumption, was established, it was known that tuberculosis was infectious, because Robert Koch had just recently isolated the bacillus that causes the disease. But little or nothing was known about how to apply this knowledge to the control of the dread disease. Tuberculosis, at that time the chief cause of death, was still taking 250 lives a year out of every 100,000 of the population.

The problem, as Sir Robert saw it, was that of getting patients to the physician in time for treatment to be effective. Also important was the need to find and bring under medical care the children and other members of the household in which a tuberculosis patient lived.

He established his clinic to serve as a centre linking the various efforts being made to fight the disease. It was to have four functions. One of these was to receive patients for medical diagnosis. Another was to serve as a clearing-house where all persons in close contact with patients could be observed and carefully examined. A third function was to investigate environmental conditions and to supervise the general care of households in which there was tuberculosis. The fourth function was that of furnishing information and propaganda.

Notes

Although Hitler has ordered shorter shirt-tails for his subjects, collars remain adjustable to take the Nazi millstone.

A committee checking over the war poems of the Japanese Emperor have decided that what the verses lack is rhyme and reason.

B.C.'S VANISHING TIMBER

From a Professor of Engineering in one of Canada's Leading Colleges

I have read with much interest the following clipping from The Victoria Times, which was reprinted in The Toronto Globe and Mail on December 27:

THE VANISHING TIMBER

"Victoria Times: Every few days one or other of the up-island ports reports the departure of a deep-sea freighter loaded with our best fir logs, going out of the country as unmanufactured timber to supply raw material for mills and labor in foreign countries. This export is at the expense of our own industry and labor. It is proceeding while our forestry officials are warning that we have only a dozen years' supply of first-grade fir timber left."

Ever since I lived in B.C. 30 years ago, I have felt very much concerned over the destruction of the forests, with little or no effort being made in reforestation. It seems to me that editorials such as yours are printed from time to time, but no persistent effort has ever been made to drive home the necessity of a systematic policy of reforestation in B.C. While congratulating you on this editorial, I should like to respectfully suggest for your consideration, a steady persevering crusade on this vital question. Nothing can be accomplished by occasional editorials, but I believe that a paper with the standing of the Times, might influence the provincial government to take the necessary steps to replace the annual toll of fire, insect destruction, and lumber operations, and thus preserve for the province one of its major industries and sources of revenue.

I trust that you will not consider this letter an impertinence, but as evidence and interest on the part of a former resident of British Columbia,

Loose Ends

By BRUCE HUTCHISON

SAD RITE

EVERYWHERE in the city this week you can see Christmas trees heaved into the back yard, ready for burning. This is the last sad rite, the final burying of Christmas. The poor tree is torn from its home in December, cut down in the bloom of its youth, prevented from growing to manhood and useful timber. He is dragged in from the country, stood up in a living-room with pomp and ceremony, gaily decked with tinsel and ornaments, as the Greeks used to hang garlands around a bullock before sacrificing him to the gods; then, after a few days of glory, which almost turns the poor tree's head, makes him imagine that he is a success in life, he is hurried upon a rubbish heap and finally cremated.

Yes, and what else is heaved out this week with the Christmas tree? The whole spirit of Christmas is heaved out. The open season on good cheer is closed. The convivial, neighborly feeling, the helpful kindly sentiments are stowed away for another year. Nobody is going about like a walking Christmas tree any more, Santa Claus has driven back, grumbling and cranky, to the North Pole, the Christmas tree is on the ash heap and the human animal is back to his normal state.

But store the tinsel and the ornaments and the little colored lights safely away. Do not throw them out with the tree, as you are always tempted to do. For incredible as it may seem to you now, absurd and sloppy as the whole notion appears at this season, Christmas will come again. Ah, yes, it will come again. And exactly a year hence another fine young tree will lie, murdered, on your rubbish heap.

More OUTCASTS

IN THE COURSE of the same year the human family will cast out not only Christmas trees. It will cast out many, a prominent citizen as well. Did you ever pause to consider how many distinguished figures have been cast out in the last year, and how many will suffer the same fate in the next 12 months? Probably not. But if you will think it over, you will find that the mortality rate among prominent citizens nowadays is almost as high as that of Christmas trees.

Just a year ago, for example, President Roosevelt was at an all-time high, the darling of the nation, the master of Congress, the most powerful figure in the world, and the United States was in a boom. If you had been asleep for the year and just awakened now, you would not recognize him for the same man. Congress is in chaos and does it pleases. His party is split from stem to stern. Business is in revolt and industry has slid into another slump. The President is at an all-time low. All in a year.

Chiang Kai-Shek was ruling China successfully a year ago. Nobody knows where he is now. Lord Baldwin has disappeared off his own free will. Where is M. Blum who was going to socialize France this time last year? Where are most of the great men of Russia, Stalin's old friends? Who was Mr. Aberhart?

These are gloomy and startling thoughts. Where will the headliners of today be this time a year hence? Who will be Premier of France, Premier of England? Where will Mr. Hepburn be, and Mr. Duplessis, who shines so brightly now, and that other great entertainer, Mr. Charlie McCarthy, who was the only new world figure of 1937?

I tell you these are depressing speculations that no one dares to press too far. If it comes to that, where will you be a year hence, when they are throwing the 1938 Christmas tree? Ah, perhaps it is better you should not know.

SAD CASE

STROLLING across the Causeway today, I fell in with one of the chief officials and administrators of the provincial government. I could see he was feeling very low and he finally confessed that he had been frustrated again this year, as usual. He said that every Christmas he was always fascinated by the toys in the shops. He said he always wandered through the toy departments with eyes of glazed delight. But as his children were all grown up now, he never bought any toys.

When the children were small, he said, he used to have a real orgy every Christmas, playing with the kids' toys all over the floor for days at a time. But lately, he said, Christmas didn't mean much to him. Every year, though, he planned to buy himself a few toys of his own so that he could play with them quietly as in the old days, but he never had the courage to do it. He said people wouldn't have much confidence in provincial government if its high officials went about playing with toys. He said there were hundreds of other fellows like him, but mostly they hadn't the courage to confess it. And so he went sadly back to the business of running the country.

SHIRT-TAIL SAVIOR

From The Ottawa Citizen

HITLER MAY YET BE KNOWN AS THE shirt-tail savior of Germany.

Latest decree of his economic ministry is a plan to shorten all German shirt-tails two inches. Each German, instead of wearing a shirt 37.4 inches long in front and 39.4 inches long behind, will wear one 35.4 inches long in front and 37.4 inches behind. The idea is to save cloth.

Of course this implies a corps of shirt-tail inspectors. What a diverting sight it will be for tourists, walking down the Unter den Linden some day, to see the shirt-tail inspectors at work, neatly whipping out for inspection, with one deft, efficient German jerk, the shirt-tails of all suspected passersby.

Heaven help the traitorous varlet who is caught wearing a shirt-tail 38.6 inches long before, or even 40.1 inches long behind!

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FROM COWICHAN'S SENIOR PIONEER

To the Editor:—In your article headed, B.C. ARCHIVES ADVENTURES, you spell it Lomaiaken Hill, "L" instead of "C," Comaiaken. It also says "head settlers in danger."

Why, there was only one white settler, Jack Humphreys, here ahead of the Rev. Father Rondeau, and he was living three miles away and in no danger from the Indians, having married a native woman. Miss Edmond is right, however, in regard to the Rev. Father setting from Victoria in 1858. Humphreys came in 1857. He had been previously in the employ of the Hudson's Bay Company. It is a mistake to say they never left their cabin for their fields without carrying weapons. If they had any weapon they expected to take home a grouse or deer, for the pioneer had principally to live on them. Yes, in 1870 the Rev. Father with the aid of the Indians built the old church. I was living in the district at the time. A Mr. Williams, a stonemason, has made claim he built it. He finished the windows and door arches. My brother, Harry E. Evans, did the finishing to the inside woodwork.

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B.C. CABINET REASSEMBLES

First Meeting of New Year Today; Rowell Brief Progresses

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ARSON CHARGE HEARING OPENS

Llewellyn Overton Before Court on Alleged Attempt to Burn House

Hearing of charge of arson against Llewellyn Overton, 1131 Munro Street, Esquimalt, opened in the Esquimalt Police Court before Magistrate Henry Hall yesterday.

G. H. Sedger appeared for the prosecution and R. C. Lowe for the defence.

The case is continuing this afternoon. Prosecutor Sedger informed the court he would call about 20 witnesses.

Testimony taken at an inquiry under the Fire Marshals Act before Reeve Alexander Lockley was admitted at the hearing yesterday after Mr. Sedger had quoted authorities to permit its admission.

Sam Clegg, insurance agent, testified the accused had talked about insuring his furniture and increasing coverage on his house last August 20. At that time the accused had claimed the value of the furniture at \$10,000.

Edgar C. Rossiter, insurance clerk, said he had been instructed by the accused to write a policy of \$2,500 on the house and \$6,000 on the furniture, while Mr. Clegg was on vacation.

These policies, Mr. Rossiter testified, were delivered on September 14 and the premium of \$102 was paid the following day. On September 20 the accused informed the insurance agency there had been a fire the day previous and the customary inspection was made by Mr. Rossiter.

A plan of the accused's house was prepared and introduced by F. G. Aldous, who stated the building was located on enclosed property, and the view was obscured.

Bird Chorus As New Year Greeting

When Miss K. Agnew, 1322 Rockland Avenue, awoke Sunday morning she was treated to a pleasant surprise. It seemed as though spring had come overnight, for flitting playfully about in the oaks in her garden were scores of birds, all merrily twitting their songs, and above all rose the melodious song of a robin.

POLICE POST FOR ZEBALLOS

Provincial police will shortly establish a post at Zeballos, the new mining camp on the West Coast of Vancouver Island. Commissioner J. H. McMullin said today, Col. McMullin said he expected one officer would be stationed there to start with and others later if required.

Third Candidate For Saanich Seat

Henry G. Robinson, Prospect Lake, this morning announced his candidature for the Ward Five seat on the Saanich council at the municipal elections this month.

Mr. Robinson was the third candidate to announce his intention of seeking return in Ward Five. John Oliver, the present incumbent, will seek re-election, and R. M. McIntosh, Royal Oak, previously announced he would run.

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Administration to the blind throughout the Dominion was being carried out from the National Institute in Toronto. Canada was divided into five sections, each of which was virtually autonomous. Each section was responsible for its own work among those afflicted. Major Watt described the many phases of activity in which the blind were engaged. He spoke of the factories throughout the country where blind workers produced excellent results in basketry and other kinds of handicraft.

Radios, he said, were sold to the blind at cost price and the licenses for them were granted free by the government. Free transportation on street railways were given and on trains the blind person and guide were allowed to travel on one ticket.

The work of helping the blind was largely financed by the government and the remainder came from the generosity of those interested in their welfare.

Major Watt described the Braille system now in use for blind reading. The blind were never without reading matter, there being 25,000 volumes available.

The prevention of blindness was one of the largest works carried on by the institute. It was costly but was being proved effective by the excellent results obtained. "Canada looks after her blind second to none in the world," Major Watt declared in closing. Previous to his address, Major Watt, who is blind, rendered several classical selections on the piano.

Everett Taylor, the president, was in the chair.

MAY PUT BAN ON TAG DAYS

Elimination of Street Corner Soliciting to Be Studied By City

After brief discussion, the City Council last night referred to its finance committee the question of permitting tag days on downtown streets this year.

Alderman S. H. Okell asked if the council was prepared to take a stand on the issue in view of the general belief, the Community Chest drive last year had been aimed at eliminating street corner soliciting.

Any institution or organization given aid by the Community Chest would not be allowed tag days, Alderman John Worthington said. He was supported by Alderman W. L. Morgan.

The question arose when an application from the Dr. O. M. Jones Chapter I.O.D.E., seeking permission for a tag day, was read. The letter was also referred to the finance committee.

DUNCAN

DUNCAN—Quamichan Scouts and Cubs gave their annual Christmas entertainment at Quamichan last Thursday evening. Scoutmaster Allan McInnes was in charge of the Quamichan Scouts and J. B. Green the Cub section. The programme was varied, commencing with a play by the Cubs and a "radio" sketch by Scouts Billy Russell, John Palmer and Jack Davies. Alf. Lincoln escaped after being tied by rope, Bob Bradley gave accordion solos, and Allan McInnes and R. Portman—guitar solos. The Scout play "The Green Eye of the Little Yellow God," for which Allan McInnes was responsible, was given by A. May, Billy Russell, Jack Davies, John Palmer, Alec Freshwater and Bill Powell.

Provincial police will shortly establish a post at Zeballos, the new mining camp on the West Coast of Vancouver Island, Commissioner J. H. McMullin said today. Col. McMullin said he expected one officer would be stationed there to start with and others later if required.

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Winter-weight Underwear

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GROUP 2—Combinations, vests, bloomers and panties. Values to \$1.99. On sale at

\$1.00

GROUP 3—Oddments in fleeced cotton undies also a few soiled wool garments. To clear at

50c

Wednesday, at

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Morning

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WOMEN'S FOOTWEAR

WOMEN'S MOTOR BOOTS

Black- or Brown Velvet, fur trimmed. Wrap around spiral style. No lacing. Priced to clear. A pair

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RUBBER GAYTEES

Smart, practical and well-made
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Black or brown.

Sizes 8 to 3.
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50 PAIRS OF WOMEN'S
SHOES, a Pair \$1.95

In this Special Offering of Women's Shoes you have a choice of
SUEDE or SMOOTH LEATHER, LIGHTWEIGHT, DRESSY STYLES
—Shoes in various patterns.

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| Grade A Medium Eggs, doz. | 33¢ |
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The old theory that bad breath arises in the mouth is misleading. Bad breath invariably arises from the stomach. Lysol Antiseptic cleanses the mouth, and when swallowed, neutralizes fermentative processes in the stomach, the real source of bad breath. Satisfaction or money refunded by all Vancouver Drug Co. Stores—21c, 35c and 75c.

Well-known
Novelist
Dies

BATH (CP Cable)—Mrs. Desmond Humphreys, 73, widely known a generation ago under her pen-name "Rita," died Saturday at nearby Combe Down. Mrs. Humphreys fell in her bedroom last November and never recovered from the effects.

So fond was Queen Mary of her works that a few years ago Her Majesty ordered a complete set of Rita's books, specially bound, for her private library.

Mrs. Humphreys was the daughter of J. G. Gollan of Gol- lanfield, Inverness-shire. She was educated in Sydney, Australia, where she went as a child with her parents, later returning to England.

A great lover of the theatre, Mrs. Humphreys rarely missed a first night when in London. Her works included several plays. Some of her best-known novels were: "The Jesters," 1903; "Jill-At-Home," 1914; "Diana of the Ephesians," 1919, and "The Grandmothers' Trilogy," 1927-30.

**ORPHANS HAD
MERRY YULE**

The annual meeting of the ladies' committee of the B.C. Protestant Orphans' Home was held yesterday, the following officers being re-elected: President, Mrs. F. V. Longstaff; first vice-president, Mrs. D. G. Hughes; second vice-president, Mrs. E. M. Brown; recording secretary, Mrs. J. G. Simpson; corresponding secretary, Mrs. R. T. Elliott; treasurer, Mrs. F. C. Dillabough; flower convenor, Mrs. A. McKeown. During December the children had a very happy time. They were entertained through the kindness of Mr. Jutson Fisher to the Horse Show, The Belmont Avenue Church C.G.I.T., gave them a nice party, and His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. Hamber invited them to a delightful party at Government House, where they were royally entertained.

The European dogwood produces fruits as big as pie cherries, which are so liked by children and birds that it is difficult to collect seeds.

An Alert Little Chap

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Mrs. G. Sanson, convener of the nomination committee, announced the slate for the coming year. Rev. John McNab, acting minister, conducted the proceedings.

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Mr. George G. Harrison has returned to the University of British Columbia after spending the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Jones, Pandora Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Scott of Port Alberni, who have been visiting Mrs. Scott's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Shotbolt, 2313 Quadra Street, over the holidays, left yesterday for their home.

Mr. John Garrett, who has been visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Garrett, Hampshire Road, left to resume his studies at the University of British Columbia.

Booking as far as Barbados, Capt. and Mrs. C. D. Neurotos of Victoria, were among passengers aboard the Canadian National Steamships' liner R.M.S. Lady Nelson, which sailed from Halifax last Thursday for the West Indies.

Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Brown have returned to their residence at 273 Linden Avenue after spending the holiday season with Mr. and Mrs. Alfred George Brown, 3410 Point Grey Road, Vancouver, and renewing friendships in that city.

Mrs. W. Sloan, St. Patrick Street, Oak Bay, and her son and daughter, Mr. Bill Sloan and Miss Barbara Sloan, returned yesterday afternoon from Vancouver, where they have been spending the holiday season with Mrs. Sloan's mother, Mrs. D. McDougall.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Boyes, with their children Margaret and David, came over on Thursday for the 51st wedding anniversary of Mrs. Boyes' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Moir, of Cherry Bank, Langford Lake, and returned Monday to their home in Vancouver.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wilson, Maddison Street, will leave on Saturday for San Francisco, from where they will sail on January 13 on the California for Havana, Cuba, to spend the remainder of the winter months. They expect to return to Victoria at the end of April.

**Guild Ends
An Active
Year**

Mrs. C. W. Hawkins, president at the annual meeting of the Women's Guild of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church yesterday afternoon, when encouraging reports of the year's work were presented and officers chosen for the coming year, as follows:

Honorary president, Mrs. W. L. Clay; president, Mrs. C. W. Hawkins; first vice-president, Mrs. A. M. Boyd; second vice-president, Mrs. Elliott; recording secretary, Mrs. J. H. Young; corresponding secretary, Mrs. K. Jaffray; treasurer, Mrs. W. Head; flowers for sick, Mrs. G. Sanson and Mrs. Boyd; flowers for decorative purposes, Mrs. E. H. Griffiths and Mrs. Marling; house committee, Mrs. A. Alexander and Mrs. R. Armstrong; visiting committee, Miss I. Nicol, Mrs. M. R. Pearce, Mrs. Elliott, Mrs. F. A. Robinson and Mrs. Boyd; social committee, Mesdames Surphis, P. H. Cudlipp, A. Hood, P. J. Campbell, Starr, J. G. Burnett, Cameron, Johnson and H. S. Mason.

Mrs. D. Reid was appointed representative to the annual meeting of the Local Council of Women, and Mrs. C. W. Hawkins, Mrs. Young, Mrs. Reid and Mrs. Featherstone were appointed as delegates.

Mrs. J. H. Young, secretary, in her annual report, referred to the steadfast and growing interest shown by the guild women, and hoped for the enlargement of the guild's scope and plans for the coming year. Tribute was also paid to the president and various committees.

The treasurer, Mrs. W. H. Head, reported a substantial balance in the bank after all obligations had been met. Letters of appreciation were received during the year from Miss Mess, superintendent of the Children's Aid Society; the secretary of the Y.W.C.A. and the British Columbia Provincial Orphanage Home.

Many letters of appreciation for flowers were received by the corresponding secretary, Mrs. K. Jaffray, while throughout the year the different members of the visiting committee reported many calls.

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Mr. Allan Mayhew has returned to Vancouver after visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Mayhew.

The Misses Frankie and Evelyn Alexander of 51 Marlboro Avenue, who are visiting in Seattle, returned home yesterday with their aunt, Mrs. J. Bernstein.

Captain and Mrs. W. Bell, Foul Bay Road, have staying with them for a few days their niece, Miss Muriel Bell of Wimipeg.

Miss Wendy Bell-Irving of Vancouver is the guest of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. James Rankin, Fairfield Road, for a few days.

Mr. John Mara of the R.C.M.P., Ottawa, arrived in Victoria today on his annual leave to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Lytton Mara, Hampshire Road, Oak Bay.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Collington have returned to their home at Port Alberni after visiting Mrs. Collington's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Gary, Arundel Drive.

Mr. Robert Jones, of the teaching staff of the public school at Fort St. John, has left to resume his duties after spending the vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Jones, Pandora Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. McCall, 534 Trutch Street, entertained at dinner on New Year's Day. Covers were laid for 10, and the guests were Rev. and Mrs. J. N. Brunton, late of Edmonton, who are spending the winter in Victoria; Mr. and Mrs. N. Mc Gillivray, Prospect Lake, P.O.; Mr. N. McGregor, Miss Laurette and Mr. Graham McCall and Master Torrey McCall. Several callers were welcomed during the evening.

Miss Lois Peacey, 1618 Fell Street, was hostess at a delightful Christmas party to members of the St. Matthew's (Langford) W.A. girl's branch, of which she is the Dorcas secretary. Games and contests were enjoyed, the prize for obtaining the highest score being won by Gladys Morrison. The supper table was attractively decorated with seasonal favors, while the ice cream cake was cut by the president, Josephine Sabsbrook. Pleasing souvenirs were received by the girls, and they in turn presented to Miss Peacey and Miss B. Mutton, leader, small gifts of appreciation.

Mr. and Mrs. James Denniston entertained the Esquimalt Y.P.S. and friends at an enjoyable New Year's Eve party at their home in the Navy Yard. Games and dancing were enjoyed until an early hour and the New Year was welcomed in enthusiastically. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. J. Denniston, Mr. and Mrs. G. Corless, Mr. and Mrs. V. McIntyre, Mr. and Mrs. W. Parry, Mr. and Mrs. H. Roode, Mr. and Mrs. A. Wheeley and Mrs. A. Gray; Misses Lucy Brankham, Wanda Gray, Grace and Dorothy Jones, Ruth Morgan, Vance Potts, Lucy Thomas and Ruby Wallace; Messrs. Bill Barker, Jimmy Denniston, Bill Edington, Robby Harper, Arthur Kiteley, Walt Locke, Jack Mellander and Don McIntyre.

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(Photos by Robert Fort)

Thomas Martin Liddell is the 10-month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Liddell, 2587 Cook Street, and grandson of Mrs. A. L. Bone, 2655 Roseberry Avenue, and Mrs. A. C. Liddell, 750 Queen's Avenue. His great-grandfather is Mr. W. H. Bone, 1788 Rockland Avenue.

Four Generations



**Celebrated
Wedding
Date**

Weddings

TRERISE-RIDLEY

A quiet wedding was solemnized at the Church of Our Lord by the Rev. A. de B. Owen at 12 noon, New Year's Day, between Gladys Ridley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Ridley of Colwood, and Sidney Trerise, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Henry Trerise of The Lizard, Cornwall, England.

Mr. and Mrs. Trerise are both very well known in this city, having lived here for many years. They will reside at 1270 Yates Street.

Mrs. Ridley's escort was a graceful gown of blue lace, with which she wore silver slippers and a corsage bouquet of pink carnations.

A delightful musical programme included songs by Miss Mae Muir, accompanied at the piano by Mrs. R. Mason; several dramatic readings by Miss Enid Cole; Mr. George Ozard contributed piano selections, including one of his own compositions, and several groups of numbers were also given, by an instrumental trio, composed of Miss Betty Mulliner, violin; Miss Nancy Kyle, cello, and Miss Rae Millar, piano. Mr. D. C. Robertson acted as M.C.

During the evening Mr. Robertson, on behalf of the assembled company, made a felicitous speech and presented Mr. and Mrs. Mulliner with a handsome silver tray and tea-service. The tray was inscribed as follows: "Presented to Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Mulliner by their old friends on their 25th wedding anniversary, 1913-1938."

Supper was served from a prettily-decorated table reflecting the pink and silver motif, and centred with the four-tiered wedding cake on a silver base surrounded by a mist of pink tulips, with pink and silver tapers in silver candlesticks alternating with silver vases of pink roses.

Miss Wendy Bell-Irving of Vancouver returned to Victoria yesterday afternoon to resume her studies at the U.B.C. after spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Braidwood, Foul Bay Road.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Sherwood of Vancouver have returned to the mainland after visiting Mr. Tom Sherwood's brother-in-law and sister, Lieut. Commandant and Mrs. A. C. Wurtele, Bewdley Avenue.

Mr. Robert Jones, of the teaching staff of the public school at Fort St. John, has left to resume his duties after spending the vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Jones, Pandora Avenue.

Over 150 parents and friends of Miss Moore, L.A.B., staged an attractive Christmas entertainment in the Y.W.C.A. gymnasium last Thursday. The various numbers, with the exception of two, were accompanied by children ranging in age from six to 15.

A beautiful bouquet of chrysanthemums and carnations was presented to Miss Moore from her pupils by Marvine Wilson. The herald of the evening's programme of 22 numbers was Bob Canova, in correct costume of red satin-edged with white fur. Those taking part were:

Plano—Enid Browne, Lewis Balines, Kenneth and Teddy Bradley, Geraldine Roe, Doris Brewer, Catherine Firth, Eric Dowell, Margaret Hodson, Phyllis Harwood, Joan Mutrie, Louise Young, Peter Sinclair, Marjorie Timberlake and Bob Creech.

Instruments—Helen Sylvester, Pauline Thornber, Edward Estlin, Peter Sinclair, Ted Browne, Shirley and Louise Young, Doreen Knott, Catherine Firth, Mostyn Long, Leigh Kimball, Eric Dowell, John Canova, Lewis Baines, Douglas Bebb, John Gelling, Joan Lindsay, Alan Jones, Mavis Guy, Shirley and Mary Cliff.

Dancers in costume—Doreen Knott, Catherine Firth, Geraldine Roe, Joyce Thorpison; violin, Dick Mutrie; soloists, Ted Browne, Edward Estlin, Alan Jones, John Gelling; singers in groups, Olive Inglis, Marjorie Noel, John Lauder, Adele and John Gout, Elaine Maynard, Joyce Currie, Betty Vetch, Guida Rees, Dorothy Bohannon, Alice Windle, Marnie Wilson, Susan Townsend.

Niggers—Lewis Baines, Teddy Bradley, John and Bob Canova, Eric Dowell, Leigh Kimball, Mostyn Long, Peter Sinclair, Edward Estlin, John Rees, Alan Gossé; coon and coon dance, Joyce Thompson; chief nigger soloist, Ted Browne; poetry, Catherine Firth; Edward Estlin, Shirley Young; fairy, Shirley Young.

Community Club Assisted Many

Forty-six members of the Esquimalt Community Club met in St. Paul's guild room yesterday evening for the first meeting of the new year. The president, in welcoming four new members, wished all a happy and prosperous new year, and asked for co-operation in the work.

Usual routine business was

**NEW GROUPS
NEW PRICES in
Our January**

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Social and Club Interests



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WEDNESDAY

FRESH MEATS

VEAL STEAKS 2 lbs. for 25¢
MUTTON CHOPS

LAMB

LEGS LAMB, lb. 25¢; LAMB CHOPS, lb. 20¢; SHOULDERS LAMB, lb. 16¢
BONELESS ROLLED SHOULDERS LAMB, lb. 24¢
BOILING BEEF, 8¢
MUTTON STEW, lb. 15¢
LEGS OF VEAL, lb. 28¢

BACON

Sliced Side Bacon, lb. 30¢
Sliced Back Bacon, lb. 34¢
Smoked Bacon Squares, lb. 18¢
Ayrshire Bacon, lb. 23¢
Smoked Hams, lb. 27¢

DELICATESSEN

Small WIENERS, lb. 19¢
SAUERKRAUT, 2 lbs. 19¢
MINCEMEAT, 2 lbs. 19¢
BOILED HAM, 1/2 lb. 27¢

FRUIT DEPT.

SUNKIST ORANGES
Medium size, dozen 15¢
LIMIT 3 DOZEN

IMPERIAL VALLEY GRAPEFRUIT 6 for 15¢
SAIB 4 lbs. 19¢
DATES LOCAL BURBANK POTATOES 10 lbs. 15¢ Sack. \$1.49

Butter 3 lbs. 34¢
Medium flavor, lb. 23¢
Cheese Mild flavor, lb. 18¢
Eggs Grade A Large, doz. 31¢
Grade A Pelets, doz. 27¢

SPECIALS

HYDROGEN PEROXIDE, 8¢
EDME MALT EXTRACT AND PHILLIPS' MILK OF MAGNESIA, 50c size, special 43¢
ELECTRIC IRONING CORDS 29¢
CAR BURRS, GUARANTEED 19¢ Tail Lights 7¢

KIPPERED SNACKS 2 for 9¢
SWEET PRUNES 3 lbs. 19¢

MY-TE-FINE Pure White Vinegar 12¢ 16-oz. bot.

FISH DEPT.
FRESH KILLED
Turkeys, lb. 20¢

W.C.T.U. Observe Day of Prayer

The day of prayer observed yesterday in the Y.W.C.A. of this city was well attended. Miss A. Sproule, who was a field worker in Ontario for many years, conducted the devotional period, in which representatives from the various unions and the Salvation Army took part, as well as other friends.

Mrs. W. H. Gibson gave an inspiring address on "Prevailing Prayer," giving examples, especially from the Scripture. The speaker warned her hearers against "discouragement, which has been called the devil's most effective tool." It was noted that the most successful workers had begun to walk that road early in life, which led to the re-

fection that work among the young is of greatest importance.

Mrs. John Hall presided over the service.

Generous Gift To T.B. Patients

The monthly meeting of the Florence Nightingale Chapter, I.O.D.E., was held yesterday afternoon at headquarters. In the absence of the regent, Mrs. James Baker, Mrs. F. Baylis presided. Nominations were presented for the new officers, and Mrs. Baker was unanimously re-elected regent by acclamation.

Mrs. R. S. Standerwick was in like manner re-elected treasurer.

The annual meeting will be held in the Victoria Truth Centre at 720½ Fort Street, January 31, 2:30 p.m., when the balance of the officers will be elected.

Councillors appointed to Provincial Chapter were Mrs. James Baker, the regent; Mrs. K. Symons and Mrs. F. Baylis.

The pavilion at the Jubilee Hospital was decorated with Christmas trees and flowers over the holiday, and dinner was provided for 46 patients and friends. Mr. Cecil Heaton's orchestra supplied the music. Each patient was presented with a new \$2 bill and a greeting card; in addition ice cream and cakes were served at the New Year's supper at the pavilion.

STRAWBERRY VALE

Misses Molly Rapé and Grace Sinclair were joint hostesses at a party held last Thursday evening in Colquitz Community Hall. A programme of games was enjoyed and F. Merryfield presented a series of magical numbers. Refreshments were served.

The annual Christmas party of the 1st Colquitz Guides and Rangers was held last Tuesday in Colquitz Hall.

Miss D. Stocken supervised the games and refreshments were served.



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A. K. LOVE LTD.
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Kayserette Pyjamas
Popular Styles and Colors
2.50

When Wedding Came to Bedridden Bridesmaid



The wedding, pictured above, came to Flora Campbell, New York actress, when an emergency appendectomy interrupted her trip to Toledo, O., where she was to be the bridesmaid at the wedding of her sister. The wedding party hurried to her bedside at a Cleveland hospital and the ceremony was performed there. Pictured, left to right, are Flora Campbell, bedridden bridesmaid; Jackson Campbell, best man and brother of the bride; Joseph Hudson Short Jr., the groom; Miss Beth Campbell, the bride, and Rev. Howard Spangler.

Society

Actress Sues Columnist For Libel

Constance Bennett Wants \$250,000
From Jimmy Fidler

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Film actress Constance Bennett sued James (Jimmy) Fidler, columnist and radio speaker, and several of his sponsors, yesterday for \$250,000 damages, charging he libeled her in broadcast Decem-

ber 28.

Her complaint accused Fidler of implying wrongfully that she had been grossly discourteous to Patsy Kelly, film comedienne, working with her in a picture.

Asking \$100,000 actual and \$100,000 exemplary damages, Miss Bennett contended the broadcast gave hundreds of thousands of motion picture and radio patrons the impression that her supposed snub of Miss Kelly was so reprehensible as to cause comment all over the studio.

Defendants in the suit include

the Earle C. Anthony Inc., radio station here, the National Broadcasting Company, the Procter and Gamble Distributing Company, Procter and Gamble Manufacturing Company, H. W. Kaspar and Sons Advertising Company and several "John Does."

He is 26 years of age and is the

part-author of a number of books

on bird life in St. Kilda, western-

most of the Hebrides Islands off

the west coast of Scotland.

Victoria On Air

News of Clubwomen

Governor's Son To Work in Edmonton

LONDON (CP) — Hon. John Buchan, eldest son of Lord Bute, is on his way to Canada to join the Edmonton staff of the Hudson's Bay Company.

The Governor-General's eldest son sailed Saturday on the liner Duchess of York. Formerly assistant district commissioner in Uganda Territory, Africa, Mr. Buchan recently has been connected with the Hudson's Bay Company.

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on bird life in St. Kilda, western-

most of the Hebrides Islands off

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RISING TIDE OUT TODAY

Oxford Group Publication

Has Interesting Pictures

Received with acclaim through-

out the world, The Rising Tide,

new pictorial magazine, will

make its appearance on the Vic-

toria newsstands today. A new

departure in the picture-branch

of journalism, the magazine has

been called "a miracle in print."

The Rising Tide is a non-

profit enterprise, and its editors

in 1937.

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Mutual—KOMO (1,050)
Canadian—CBR (1,100)

Tonight

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Edward G. Robinson, in Big Town—Co-
stars, Eddie Cantor, George Raft, Maurice's Orchestra—Columbia.
Those We Love—National Blue.
John Ted, baritone—National Red.
Sammy Kaye, Orchestra—National Red.
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Horace Heidt and his Broadcasters—National
Blue.
Beau Arts Trio—National Red.
Symphony Series—Canadian.
The Four Esquires—KVI.

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Andréenne—National Blue.
Captains of Industry—KOMO at 6.15.
Captains of Industry—KOMO at 6.15.
Phantom Pilot—KJR at 6.15.

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Horace Heidt and his Broadcasters—National
Blue.
Beau Arts Trio—National Red.
Symphony Series—Canadian.

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Canadian Serenade—Canadian.
Clem Kennedy, pianist—Columbia.
Charles Fiterman—Columbia.
Walter Kelsey's Orchestra—National Red.
Symphony in Rhythm—Mutual.
Little Orphan Annie—KIRO at 5.45.

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Dramatic Presentation—Canadian.
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Columbia.
Mardi Gras, Lanny Ross, Charles Butter-
worth—Columbia—Red.
Frank Bell—Mutual.

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News—KJR
Union Federation—KJR at 6.45.

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From Sea to Sea—Canadian.

Hour of Romance—Mutual.

General Johnson—National Blue.

Readers and Writers—KJR at 7.15.

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Calling All Cars—Columbia.

Jimmy Fidler—National Red.

Dance Orchestra—Mutual.

Bill Bowring—KJR.

Melody Time—KOMO at 7.45.

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Short Stories—KOL.

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Symphony Orchestra—Canadian.

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Music Flashes—National Red.

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Ray Pearl's Orchestra—Mutual.

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Jimmy Griss's Orchestra—National Blue.

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Morning Devotionals—KVI.

Top o' Morning—KOMO.

Sweethearts of the National Blue.

Wives de Leath, songs—National Blue at 7.15.

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Follow the Moon—Columbia.

The Johnson Family—Mutual.

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Morning—KOMO.

Top o' Morning—KOMO.

Sweethearts of the National Blue.

Wives de Leath, songs—National Blue at 7.15.

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Reindeer milk is used for

cheese making in Norway and

Sweden.

Radio Headliners Tonight

5.00—Big Town—Columbia & Canadian

6.00—Horace Heidt—National Blue.

6.30—Mardi Gras—National Red.

6.30—John—Columbia & Canadian

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6.30—Al Pearce—Columbia.

6.30—Death Valley—National Red.

7.30—Financial Service—National Red

Breakfast News—KVI.

News—KOL.

News—KJR.

News—KOMO.

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SECOND SECTION

VICTORIA, B.C., TUESDAY, JANUARY 4, 1938

SECOND SECTION

Dominoes Open Big Cage Campaign Saturday

Sports Mirror

By PETE SALLAWAY

THE OTHER night in New York City the big shots of hockey honored the biggest of them all, Frank Calder, president of the National Hockey League. When the frost is on the calendar Calder is the czar of hockey, giving or taking from the hives and hives while both sides object. Because he has always done that fairly, Calder has been head of the N.H.L. for 20 years.

The game that once drew only a few hundred today as a league mark of 450,000 admissions to 61 games. Madison Square Garden alone has clicked off 158,774 paying guests at 13 games. Frank Calder helped do that.

A league that 20 years ago could have been bought for just about a song could not be taken over for three or four million dollars. A player, who back in the formation days of the N.H.L. could not get as much money as some of the so-called amateurs of the present, today can demand and get up to \$7,000. Frank Calder helped do that.

The taciturn English-born Scotsman, 60-year-oldster, came to his destiny by an odd route. Coming to Canada in 1900, he was a school teacher. For five years he educated the youth of Montreal before going into the newspaper business, writing sports. The National Hockey Association, forerunner of the N.H.L., called him to be secretary in 1907. When the present circuit was formed November 22, 1917, Calder was made president, a post that became a full-time responsibility in the season 1925-26 when major hockey was introduced to the United States.

The teacher still dominates Calder's personality, but his calm, unbending fairness and reserve are qualities that mark him as a teacher kids would remember. They are just the qualities hockey's hot-bloods remember when summer comes and the squabbles and disputes are seen in proper perspective.

Changes to be made at the White City, London, will make it the world's greatest sports ground, with accommodation for 165,000 people, of whom 119,000 will be under cover and 46,000 seated. The cost of the changes will exceed £250,000 and the work, which is to begin shortly, will take two years. Wood Lane underground station is to be moved to a new position opposite the stadium. It is hoped that when the new stadium is completed the Football Association cup final will be held there.

The danger of international lawn tennis becoming the main purpose in the life of players was the theme of the remarks of the president, Sir Samuel Hoare, at the annual meeting of the Lawn Tennis Association in London. He pointed out that "there are so many of these important events that it is impossible for the good player to take part in them unless he gives up his whole time to them."

"An international player," he added, "should have time to devote himself to a career for the greater part of the year. I am sorry to see the passion for these international events developed to make it impossible for a player with a job of his own to take part." Sir Samuel addressed his remarks not only to British players, but to "the players of the world." They come with particular interest at a time when there is considerable support for the suggestion that the Davis Cup should be competed for every two years, instead of yearly, as at present.

RYERSONS FIRST OF MANY MAJOR SQUADS COMING

Vancouver Leaders Appear at High School Gym; Leading Pro Clubs Booked

With a formidable array of clubs booked for engagements, and others being sought, the Victoria Dominoes basketballers will be put through the acid test during the early part of the year when they face the most grueling schedule of years. The big 1938 schedule will open Saturday, when Ryerson United, on even terms with Varsity and Stacey's for top places in the mainland hoop league, meets the local brigade, undefeated so far this season.

The big highlight of the season will be the world amateur championship tournament which will take place here on March 3, 4 and 5 between the Dominoes and Denver Safeways, present holders of the world championship and the United States A.A.U. crown.

TITLE AT STAKE
Negotiations for the appearance of the great Denver quintette were completed recently in which it was understood that the United States team will put their title at stake in the three-game series. The series will be played at the Willows exhibition grounds in the main building.

The Denver Safeways will be far the greatest squad that has ever appeared before local followers.

Other internationally known professional clubs that have been booked for games here by Secretary Wilf Ritchie include the Harlem Globetrotters, Tucker's Bearded Aces and New York Knickerbockers.

The big exhibition schedule, which will keep the Dominoes engaged every Saturday during January, February and early March, promises to provide lots of stirring hoop action for the hundreds of local followers who attend the High School battles. Aside from bringing out the best in the Dominoes, the exhibitions should keep them in trim form for the time when they will again go in quest of the Dominion title.

Tucker's Bearded Aces will be here for a two-game series on January 14 and 15, while the University of British Columbia, Canadian champions, are scheduled to appear against the Dominoes on January 22. Harlem Globetrotters, dusky ball-jugglers from New York, play two games on January 28 and 29.

Another imposing band of cagers who will meet the Victorians are the New York Shamrocks. They will be here for games on February 11 and 12.

O.C. FOOTBALL

GLASGOW (CP) — Scottish Football League matches yesterday resulted as follows:

FIRST DIVISION

Aberdeen 4, Ayr United 0. Arbroath 3, Hibernians 3. Clyde 3, Third Lanark 3. Hamilton Academicals 0, St. Mirren 1.

Hearts 2, Dundee 1. Kilmarnock 2, Falkirk 2. Morton 4, Motherwell 1. Queen's Park 0, Celtic 3. Queen of South 2, St. Johnstone 3.

Rangers 1, Partick Thistle 3. **SECOND DIVISION**

Airdrieonians 2, Raith Rovers 3. Brechin City 3, King's Park 4. Cowdenbeath 4, Dumbarton 1. Dundee United 3, Leith Athletic 4.

East Fife 6, Montrose 2. East Stirling 4, Dunfermline 2. Forfar Athletic 2, Albion Rovers 2.

St. Bernard's 4, Edinburgh City 0.

Stenhousemuir 5, Alloa 1.

A meeting of the Merchants' Football League will be held at the Y.M.C.A. tomorrow evening at 8. Teams are requested to have delegates present.

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Plans were made for the children's fancy dress show in the afternoon and the parlor show in the evening of February 5 in the Shrine auditorium. J. Renton, Vancouver, recently returned from England where he officiated as a judge, has accepted to judge the evening all-breed show. Any one wishing information on the show is asked to phone E 2536 or G 4978.

OTTAWA — Frank (King) Clancy, lately coach of Montreal Maroons in the National Hockey League, declined yesterday to enlarge on his resignation from that post last Thursday.

At the time of his resignation he intimated he might have something further to say, after talking over the situation with his father, the original King Clancy. Clancy announced yesterday the whole thing was "a closed book" as far as he was concerned.

Top man in assists, according to the league's figures, is Drillin. He has helped out on 13 goals.

E. Seibert, Chicago, has

Hearts Regain Football Lead

EDINBURGH — Hearts ousted Celtic from top place in the Scottish Football League today by turning in a 1 to 0 victory over Falkirk at Tynecastle Park. The decision gave Hearts 36 points for the campaign to date, one more than the Celts, but the latter have a game in hand.

HOOP SQUADS RESUME PLAY

Second Half Schedule Released For Saanich and Suburban Teams

Teams in the Saanich and Suburban Basketball League will resume play in the second half of their schedule on Saturday evening. Four games will be played with clubs from Sooke, West Road, Esquimalt, Strawberry Vale, Colwood and Jordan River engaged.

The second-half schedule will take the teams up to March 26 when the final league playoffs will get under way. On January 14 the first-half playoffs will be run off.

The second-half schedule follows:

January 8 — Sooke vs. West Road, senior men; Esquimalt vs. Strawberry Vale, senior men; Esquimalt vs. Sooke, junior boys; Colwood vs. Jordan River, senior men.

January 12 — Strawberry Vale vs. Colwood, senior men; Sooke vs. Esquimalt, junior boys.

January 14 — First-half playoffs.

January 18 — Sooke vs. Esquimalt, junior boys.

January 19 — Maroons vs. West Road, girls.

January 22 — Jordan River vs. Sooke, senior men; West Road vs. Strawberry Vale, senior men; Jordan River vs. Colwood, senior men.

January 26 — Sooke vs. Colwood, intermediate boys.

January 31 — Sooke vs. West Road, junior men.

February 4 — Sooke vs. Esquimalt, senior men.

February 6 — Sooke vs. Esquimalt, senior men; Jordan River vs. Colwood, senior men.

February 10 — Jordan River vs. Sooke, senior men; West Road vs. Jordan River, senior men; West Road vs. Maroons, girls.

February 12 — Colwood vs. Sooke, senior men; Jordan River vs. Esquimalt, senior men.

February 16 — Colwood vs. Sooke, senior men; Jordan River vs. Esquimalt, senior men.

February 19 — Sooke vs. Esquimalt, senior men; West Road vs. Colwood, senior men; Jordan River vs. Sooke, senior men; Jordan River vs. Colwood, senior men.

February 23 — Strawberry Vale vs. West Road, senior men.

February 26 — Sooke vs. Jordan River, senior men; Esquimalt vs. West Road, senior men; Colwood vs. Sooke, intermediate boys.

February 28 — West Road vs. Esquimalt, senior men; Jordan River vs. Colwood, senior men.

March 3 — Esquimalt vs. Sooke, senior men; Jordan River vs. West Road, senior men.

March 6 — Esquimalt vs. Sooke, senior men; Jordan River vs. West Road, senior men.

March 10 — Jordan River vs. Colwood, senior men.

March 13 — Colwood vs. Sooke, senior men; Jordan River vs. Esquimalt, senior men.

March 17 — Jordan River vs. Colwood, senior men.

March 20 — Jordan River vs. Esquimalt, senior men.

March 23 — Jordan River vs. Colwood, senior men.

March 27 — Jordan River vs. Esquimalt, senior men.

March 30 — Jordan River vs. Colwood, senior men.

April 3 — Jordan River vs. Esquimalt, senior men.

April 6 — Jordan River vs. Colwood, senior men.

April 9 — Jordan River vs. Esquimalt, senior men.

April 12 — Jordan River vs. Colwood, senior men.

April 15 — Jordan River vs. Esquimalt, senior men.

April 18 — Jordan River vs. Colwood, senior men.

April 21 — Jordan River vs. Esquimalt, senior men.

April 24 — Jordan River vs. Colwood, senior men.

April 27 — Jordan River vs. Esquimalt, senior men.

April 30 — Jordan River vs. Colwood, senior men.

May 3 — Jordan River vs. Esquimalt, senior men.

May 6 — Jordan River vs. Colwood, senior men.

May 9 — Jordan River vs. Esquimalt, senior men.

May 12 — Jordan River vs. Colwood, senior men.

May 15 — Jordan River vs. Esquimalt, senior men.

May 18 — Jordan River vs. Colwood, senior men.

May 21 — Jordan River vs. Esquimalt, senior men.

May 24 — Jordan River vs. Colwood, senior men.

May 27 — Jordan River vs. Esquimalt, senior men.

May 30 — Jordan River vs. Colwood, senior men.

June 2 — Jordan River vs. Esquimalt, senior men.

June 5 — Jordan River vs. Colwood, senior men.

June 8 — Jordan River vs. Esquimalt, senior men.

June 11 — Jordan River vs. Colwood, senior men.

June 14 — Jordan River vs. Esquimalt, senior men.

June 17 — Jordan River vs. Colwood, senior men.

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June 26 — Jordan River vs. Esquimalt, senior men.

June 29 — Jordan River vs. Colwood, senior men.

July 2 — Jordan River vs. Esquimalt, senior men.

July 5 — Jordan River vs. Colwood, senior men.

July 8 — Jordan River vs. Esquimalt, senior men.

July 11 — Jordan River vs. Colwood, senior men.

July 14 — Jordan River vs. Esquimalt, senior men.

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July 26 — Jordan River vs. Esquimalt, senior men.

July 29 — Jordan River vs. Colwood, senior men.

July 32 — Jordan River vs. Esquimalt, senior men.

Aug. 4 — Jordan River vs. Colwood, senior men.

Aug. 7 — Jordan River vs. Esquimalt, senior men.

Aug. 10 — Jordan River vs. Colwood, senior men.

Aug. 13 — Jordan River vs. Esquimalt, senior men.

Aug. 16 — Jordan River vs. Colwood, senior men.

Aug. 19 — Jordan River vs. Esquimalt, senior men.

Aug. 22 — Jordan River vs. Colwood, senior men.

Aug. 25 — Jordan River vs. Esquimalt, senior men.

Aug. 28 — Jordan River vs. Colwood, senior men.

Aug. 31 — Jordan River vs. Esquimalt, senior men.

Sept. 3 — Jordan River vs. Colwood, senior men.

Sept. 6 — Jordan River

Boots and Her Buddies



By Martin

Uncle Ray

Life in Ancient Egypt

II-A BUSY KITCHEN 4,000 YEARS AGO

If you could go back to the Egypt of 4,000 years ago and visit a home where there was going to be a feast, you would have an interesting time. On entering the kitchen you would see perhaps a dozen persons at work preparing the food, and if you took a peep into the yard you might see an ox being killed.



Dorothy Dix's Letter Box

DEAR MISS DIX—Girls are always asking you how they can get a husband and why men are so much less inclined to marry nowadays than they were in the past. I can give them one reason. It is because girls have discarded so many of the little refinements that made them desirable to men. For instance: Recently in a crowded restaurant I was seated opposite a young girl. As soon as she was through her meal she got out something that I believe they call "a pack" and commenced grooming her face, eyebrows and lips and combing her hair. This operation took five minutes, after which she stored away her tools and pulled out a package of cigarettes and began blowing smoke in my face. Such conduct is, of course, common among young girls, but it shows a total absence of good manners and consideration for others; of delicacy of feeling and everything that a young man would wish for in his wife. Hence the increase in bachelors.

JOHN B. DE C.

Answer: Your experience is common one, for you cannot nowadays go into any restaurant without observing a dozen women mending their coats and referring to the rule of thumb about them with stray hairs and dandruff as they comb out their curls or reset their water waves.

The sight would be repulsive if it were not so amusing. After these ladies who make their toilets in public have painted fresh roses on their cheeks, and applied another coat of kalsomine and daubed more rouge on their lips, an expression of complete self-satisfaction and admiration steals over their countenances as if they said to themselves: "Here, now, is the perfect exemplification of feminine pulchritude. If you want to see Miss Canada look at me."

Surely the artist is worthy of her hire and we should not begrudge even the hairs in our soup to the fellow citizen who has got so much joy in doing up her face and feeling that she has made herself irresistible to all bachelors. But, like you, I do find it disenchanted. I wish that they would do it in private; that some genius would invent a complexion that would stay on, and that was weatherproof and kissproof.

No doubt the modern generation of young men to whom none of the defects of the feminine person are hidden, take a girl's making up her face in public as a matter of course, but, nevertheless, it is a great mistake on the girl's part, because it is such a complete give-away. It reveals her trade secret. It doesn't leave a man guessing at whether a girl's bloom of youth comes out of a bottle or by nature, and whether her golden locks are the gift of God or are only hers by right of purchase. He has seen her do her transformation act and that may be honest, it isn't good business for the girl.

Once upon a time I heard some men of the world discussing what was subtlety in a woman. One of them said that it consisted in a man being married to a woman for 20 years without ever finding out if her teeth were her own or not. That idea still holds, in spite of all the practicality of today. Men are still fascinated by the things they don't know about women. They still like women to be mysterious and women make a fatal mistake when they throw away their 40 veils of illusion.

Girls today are just as good-looking as they were. They are far better educated and more intelligent and interesting as companions, but there is no denying that they are less attractive to men. They have fewer dates and find it harder to get married. The reason is, I think, because they have made themselves too familiar to men, they have become too commonplace and unromantic. They have become chums instead of Lady Loves.

Men used to risk their lives climbing up to a lady's tower. Now they pass by her door though it is wide open and "welcome" is on the mat. Men used to beg a girl for a kiss, but now kissing has become a chore when every girl's lips are a free lunch counter. Men used to marry girls because it was the only way they could have their society. But now when they work with them and play with them all day they are fed up with their company and see no reason for assuming their board bills and shopping tickets. Which, after all, is the price women pay for being men's equals and the privilege of performing their toilet rites in public.

DEAR MISS DIX—What can I do with a wife who insists upon doing everything contrary to my wishes.

A HUSBAND.

Answer: Take the opposite point of view. If she thinks she is spiting you she will do your way. Anything to be disagreeable.

DOROTHY DIX.

Wins Without Breaks

Clubs and Diamonds Stop Declarer, But He Finds Way Out by Forcing Opponent to Lead

By WILLIAM E. MCKENNEY

SOLUTION TO PREVIOUS CONTRACT PROBLEM

The national amateur championship, a bridge event from which players with 10 or more master points are excluded, is one of the most popular events on the tournament programme.

East won and returned a heart, dummy's king winning the trick. Two rounds of diamonds were taken and when the declarer found that suit did not break, he led two rounds of clubs only to find that the extra trick could not be made there.

Declarer now played a small spade from dummy. East felt that he must unblock this suit for his partner and played the jack. This play gave the declarer his one opportunity to make the contract. He won the ace and now leading a spade forced West to win with the queen.

West, in desperation, laid down the ace of hearts and exited from his hand with the jack of hearts. South won with the queen and then cashed his high diamond, thereby using some of the "bad luck" of the hand to assist him in making the contract.

Contract Problem

(Solution in next issue)

At Washington, where the American Contract Bridge League recently held its national tournament, Lieut. R. A. Cook of Indianapolis, with Lieut. C. W. Humphreys, won the event over a strong field. Their victory was in part, at least, made possible by the way in which Lieut. Cook (South) played today's hand.

Short suit openings often will deceive a declarer. It is quite obvious, looking at all four hands, that three no trump can be made easily.

But with a spade opening and East playing the nine spot to the first trick, the declarer cannot expect that suit to break. Therefore, he started the club suit and finessed the jack.

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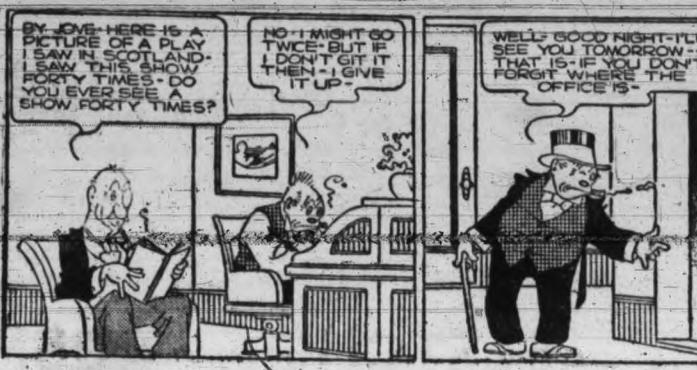
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Japan Demands Shanghai Changes

Censorship of Press and Wider Control of International Zone Called For

SHANGHAI (CP-Havas)—The Japanese authorities Tuesday demanded censorship over foreign-language newspapers in Shanghai and a larger measure of control in the administration of the city's international settlement.

Accompanied by representatives of the Japanese army, navy and Foreign Office, Consul-General Okamoto called on Stirling Fessenden, secretary-general of the Shanghai Municipal Council, and presented specific demands.

Simultaneously Japanese plainclothesmen took up posts in the offices of the Radio Corporation of America and negotiators indicated their intention of establishing Japanese control and censorship, if necessary, over the radio administration, in which foreign interests are heavily concerned.

STATE PLANS

The Japanese said they expected to take over in full the control of radio communication formerly exercised by the Chinese government radio administration.

Okamoto's demands on Fessenden included:

1. Suppression of "anti-Japanism" in the International Settlement.

2. Control over all newspapers showing anti-Japanese tendencies.

3. Increase of the number of Japanese in the Settlement police.

4. Appointment of Japanese to important posts in all organizations linked with Settlement administration.

In the event of failure to comply with these demands Fessenden was informed, the Japanese command would consider that the efforts of the Shanghai Municipal Council to ameliorate conditions "lacked good faith or efficiency."

Vancouver Again Is Clear of Fog

VANCOUVER (CP)—Dense fog, which blanketed Vancouver Monday, lifted today and traffic on land and ship movements in the harbor returned to normal.

One fog mishap occurred Monday night when a fishing boat, manned by five Japanese, went ashore in English Bay and turned over. One of the crew was thrown overboard, but was rescued by his companions. The boat was righted when the tide receded.

TOWN TOPICS

W. T. Straith, M.P.P., will give an illustrated address on his recent tour of the Orient at St. Michael's Parish Hall under the auspices of the Men's Fellowship, Friday evening at 8.

Cars driven by N. L. Nunn, 1015 Tolmie Avenue, and C. M. Cookson, 1051 Yates Street, were involved in a collision at Bay and Quadra Streets yesterday afternoon, according to city police report. The Nunn car was overturned by the impact but no personal injuries were reported.

The monthly meeting of the Victoria 20th Century Young Liberals' Association will be held this evening at 8 in Liberal headquarters. A tentative programme for 1938 will be drawn up. An election to fill the vacancies of vice-president and executive will be held.

The next meeting of the Truck Drivers and Helpers' Union, Local No. 101, will be held Thursday evening at 8 in the Trades and Labor Hall. From the first of the year meetings will be held on the first and third Thursday instead of the second and fourth Thursdays as formerly.

George L. Bone was committed for trial on a manslaughter charge by Magistrate Henry Hall in the City Police Court this morning. The case was called on remand after the prosecution had been completed and H. W. Davey, defence counsel, said he would call no evidence at the preliminary hearing.

John L. Campbell and John W. Codling, each with 499 votes, finished in a tie for the reeve-ship on Bosanquet Township near Sarnia. At noon, Wednesday Township Clerk Victor Fuller will cast the deciding vote. In Biddulph Township near London a similar situation exists. Cecil Robert and Myron Culbert tied for the reeve-ship after unofficial vote counting.

Alderman Al Cheeseman, well-known airman, was re-elected to Port Arthur's council. He is at present in the Arctic. When he left here he expected to be engaged all winter in a search for the six missing Polar Russian flyers.

In the Middlesex County village of Glencoe ratepayers had to stand the cost of an election in which voters defeated a candidate for the reeve-ship, and who previously had announced he wasn't in the running. The whole thing was termed an accident.

It happened this way, the reeve-ship was the only office not filled by acclamation. John Curry, nominated both for reeve and the council, qualified for Reeve against Reeve W. J. D. Moss under the impression he was qualifying for a seat on the council. Then he announced he would not oppose Mr. Moss.

But because Mr. Curry had qualified, an election had to be held. Reeve Moss polled 138 votes, and though Mr. Curry had announced his withdrawal from the election, he got 38 votes.

WORD AWAITED

TORONTO (CP)—If pilot Al Cheeseman, noted airman re-elected to the Port Arthur city council Monday, can get word down to the city clerk before the council inaugural January 10, he will not be disqualified from council membership.

Cheeseman is in the Arctic searching for six missing Russian trans-Polar flyers.

E. A. Horoon, Ontario Deputy Minister of Municipal Affairs, today said failure to take the oath of office at the council inaugural would not disqualify Cheeseman if he notified the city clerk ahead of time of a bona fide reason for absence.

Mr. Morton said he thought a mission to search for missing airmen was bona fide reason within the meaning of the Ontario Municipal Act.

Five Hindus In Vancouver Held

VANCOUVER (CP)—Four Hindus were held by city police today on charges of assault in connection with an attack on Tarlochan Singh, who was found stabbed and beaten in the Sikh temple here Sunday. They were arrested Monday night.

A fifth Hindu was arrested Sunday, and charged Monday with wounding Tarlochan Singh, who is recovering in a hospital.

ASBESTOS EXPORTS UP

OTTAWA (CP)—The Dominion Bureau of Statistics today reported Canada's domestic exports of asbestos in November amounted to 20,741 tons, valued at \$1,152,035, against 16,375 at \$845,245 in November, 1936. The United States took 9,036 tons, Germany 3,812, Japan 3,730 and United Kingdom 2,406.

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Vancouver Case Of Typhoid Here

City Health Officer Sees No Sign of Disease in Victoria

VANCOUVER (CP)—City Food Inspector J. F. C. B. Vance and Dr. K. F. Brandon, city epidemiologist, today were testing samples of water taken from False Creek in an effort to determine whether consumption of shellfish from this area had caused five of Vancouver's 15 cases of typhoid.

Meanwhile, a temporary ban, imposed Monday, was in force here prohibiting sale of shellfish from local waters.

No new cases of the disease, which has taken three lives since October 1, were reported in Vancouver, but Dr. J. W. McIntosh, medical health officer, said he had learned from Victoria a Vancouver resident was in a hospital with the disease there.

Dr. Richard Felton, city health officer, reported today a case of a Vancouver woman suffering from typhoid.

Dr. Felton said that she had been sick before coming to Victoria and that she was quite obviously a Vancouver case.

"There is nothing in the city at all," he said, "and we are not worrying."

The Vancouver woman was in the Jubilee Hospital, where her case was described as paratyphoid B. Her condition was improving though she had been very sick.

She first entered the hospital on December 29. It was pointed out that the incubation period for paratyphoid was two weeks.

WANT INFIRM UNDISTURBED

City Opposes Ruling Which Would Take Aged From Hospital Annex

Faced with the possibility of being forced to abandon the housing of infirm aged in the annex of the Jubilee Hospital through new amendments to the Hospital Act, the city's health and relief committees will meet with Dr. T. W. Walker of the hospital, on Thursday afternoon in an effort to secure some alteration in the recent ruling.

The clause of the act affecting the annex states that hospitalization shall not be given any individual for more than 300 consecutive days.

Under the organization of Dr. J. D. Hunter, M.P.P., former chairman of the health committee, the city established the annex as a home for aged infirm, taking them from private nursing homes in order to give them ready access to the hospital in case of emergency and also to effect economies in their keep.

The city health office has been highly satisfied with the set-up which has decreased costs, increased the comforts of the aged infirm and made hospital treatment readily available. The committee is very much averse to the proposal to take the present inmates, about 30 in number, from the quarters and will seek some method of avoiding such action.

In aid of Chinese refugees and wounded soldiers, an entertainment was held by the Ten Gō School, at the Freemasons' Hall, Fisgard Street, over the weekend. The sum of \$1,300 was raised. In charge of the programme were Lee Fong, president of the Chinese Freemasons; Dang On, vice-president, and Mrs. Lim Won, president of the women's committee. Miss May Lang was mistress-of-ceremonies. Those taking part were: J. Gow with his Punch and Judy show; Mrs. G. C. Ford, Donald McLean, Miss. Phyllis Beschirza, Miss Bessie Hope, Irene and Reine Nigan, Nellie Chow, Dorothy Lee, Walter Reid, Jack Louie and P. E. Bourke.

Walter Inward, charged with wilfully breaking window panes in the City Hall yesterday morning, pleaded guilty in the City Police Court this morning and was remanded until tomorrow for sentence. Constable E. G. Sturrock, who made the arrest, said he had arrived at the City Hall about 11 yesterday morning and found the accused addressing a crowd of people. On the appearance of the police Inward had requested to be arrested and this had been carried out on the instructions of D. A. Macdonald, city comptroller. When asked if he had anything to say, Inward attempted to tell the court about a sworn statement concerning one of the alderman which he swore before a notary public, but was not permitted by the court to continue.

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Vancouver Again Is Clear of Fog

VANCOUVER (CP)—Dense fog, which blanketed Vancouver Monday, lifted today and traffic on land and ship movements in the harbor returned to normal.

One fog mishap occurred Monday night when a fishing boat, manned by five Japanese, went ashore in English Bay and turned over. One of the crew was thrown overboard, but was rescued by his companions. The boat was righted when the tide receded.

OBITUARIES

THOMAS ASHE

Funeral services for Thomas Ashe will be conducted tomorrow afternoon at 2 in St. Mary's Church, following which interment will be in Colwood Burial Park. McCall Brothers are in charge of arrangements.

JOHN ANDERSON

John McColl Anderson, 53, passed away in Victoria over the weekend. He was born in Saltcoats, Scotland, and had been a resident here 27 years. He leaves a sister in Toronto and a brother and two sisters in Scotland. The remains are resting at McCall Brothers' Funeral Home. Funeral arrangements will be announced later.

LILY A. GOULD

Many sorrowing friends attended the funeral yesterday afternoon of Mrs. Lily Augusta Gould, of "The Wishing Well," Colwood, who passed away Sunday at St. Joseph's Hospital, aged 61. Cremation will take place at Royal Oak, and it is requested no flowers be sent.

Miss Catterall was born in Sah Francisco and lived here for 54 years. She is survived by five brothers, Harry, John, Frank and Charles Catterall, all of Victoria, and one sister, Mrs. O. B. Ormond, of this city.

LOUIS KARSTANOFF

Funeral services for Louis Karstanoff will be held Thursday afternoon at 3. Interment will be in the Royal Oak Burial Park.

JOHN FOWLER

The funeral of John Fowler will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2 from the S. J. Curry & Son Funeral Home. Dr. W. C. Wilson will officiate and interment will be in the Royal Oak Burial Park.

WALTER TYERS GALE

Funeral services for Walter Tyers Gale, who passed away yesterday at 8 at St. Joseph's Hospital, will be conducted in Sands Mortuary Chapel on Thursday afternoon at 2. Rev. Alan Gardner will officiate and the remains will be laid at rest in Royal Oak Burial Park.

FREDERICK GARNHAM

Funeral services for Frederick Garnham will be held in Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel tomorrow afternoon at 2. Rev. N. E. Smith, officiating. Interment will be made in the family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery.

JAMES EASTON

Last rites for James Easton were conducted by Dr. A. S. Irrie yesterday afternoon in the McCall Brothers Funeral Home. Miss Edna Burgess sang "No Night There" as a solo, and the hymns were "Jesus Keep Me Near the Cross," and "O Happy Day That Fixed My Choice."

Acting as pallbearers were J. H. Ellett, W. Whyte, R. E. Nimmo, C. Walker, C. E. Mullin and J. Crawford. The remains were laid at rest at Royal Oak Burial Park.

JAMES G. NEILSON

Funeral services for James Gibson Neilson, who collapsed on a Vancouver street New Year's night, and died almost immediately, will be held tomorrow afternoon at 3:30 at St. John's Church. Rev. Canon F. A. P. Chadwick will officiate and interment will be in Colwood Burial Park.

JESSE E. JAMES

There passed away in this city yesterday, Jesse E. James, aged 80 years, a native of England and a resident of Oak Bay for several years. He leaves relatives in England. The remains are resting at the Thomson Funeral Home, where the funeral will take place on Thursday afternoon at 2. Rev. P. C. Hayman will conduct the service, after which interment will be in Colwood Burial Park.

HANNAH JANE ARSMON

Funeral services will be held in Vancouver Thursday for Mrs. Hannah Jane Arsmon, 86-year-old pioneer Victoria resident, who died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Gideon Hicks, Sunday. Born in London, England, she was the widow of James Law Arsmon and had lived in Victoria 40 years before coming to Vancouver. Her daughter is the only survivor.

ALFRED BOWSON HARVEY

At the Royal Jubilee Hospital yesterday the death occurred of Alfred Bowson Harvey of the Westholme Hotel, aged 62 years. Born in Bristol, England, Mr. Harvey has been a resident in British Columbia for the past thirty-five years. The remains are resting at the Sands Mortuary and funeral services will be private.

THOMAS H. KELWAY

Rev. A. E. G. Hendy will conduct funeral services tomorrow afternoon at 2 in Sands Mortuary for Thomas Henry Kelway. Interment will be in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery.

JOSEPH BEAUMONT

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RAYMOND MASTEN

Private funeral services for Raymond Masten will be held tomorrow afternoon at 3:30 from

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Announcements

DIED

KELWAY—On Saturday, January 1, 1938, there passed away at the St. Joseph's Hospital, Victoria, Mrs. L. M. Thomas Henry Kelway, late residence 1109 Douglas Street; born in Plymouth, England, in 1862. He had been a resident of this city for the past 27 years. There remain to survive his passing three sons, Thomasall of Victoria; two daughters, Mrs. R. Eaton and Mrs. M. W. Oliver, both of whom are deceased; and a son, at present in Plymouth, England; ten grandchildren and one great grandchild.

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BEAUMONT—On Saturday, January 1, 1938, there passed away at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, Joseph Beaumont, 84 years old. He was born in London, England, and had been a resident of Victoria for the past 27 years. He enlisted in the Royal Canadian Dragoons during the Great War with the 102nd Battalion, and for the past 15 years had been a member of the Royal Canadian Legion. He now remains to survive his passing, beside his loving wife, one son, Bernard, and a daughter, Mrs. C. Palmgren, all of Victoria.

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NEILSON—Suddenly in Vancouver, B.C., on Saturday, January 1, James Gibson Neilson, 77 years, died. He was born in Liverpool, England, and had resided in Victoria since 1908. He had been formerly on the staff of The Colonist and The Times of Victoria and The Vancouver Star. He was a member of the Royal Canadian Legion. He now remains to survive his passing, beside his loving wife, one son, Robert Neilson, and a daughter, Mrs. G. Street, Victoria.

The remains are resting in the funeral parlour of the Royal Canadian Legion. The funeral will take place on Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock, from St. John's Church, Queen Street. The Rev. C. A. A. Newell will conduct the service, after which interment will be made in Colwood Burial Park.

ASH—On Sunday, January 1, at the family residence, 1840 St. Ann Street, died Mrs. A. J. Ash, aged 77 years. The late Mr. Ash was born in Donegal County, Ireland, and had been a resident of this city for many years. He was one of the first wardens of St. Mary's Church—O'Farrell, also a member of the Knights of Columbus. He was a school trustee and had been a school trustee and councillor for many years in Oak Bay. He died on Saturday, January 1, 1938, at home; Mrs. J. A. Andrews, Victoria, his son, William N. Gartham, Victoria, and a daughter, Mrs. Robert Neilson in Victoria, and Mrs. Robert Neilson in Ontario, Penn., and a brother in Ireland, also six grandchildren.

The remains are resting in the funeral parlour of the Royal Canadian Legion. The funeral will be held on Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, from the Royal Canadian Legion, 1227 Government Street, Victoria. The Rev. G. H. Hennell will conduct the service, after which interment will be made in Colwood Burial Park.

GARNHAM—At the Royal Jubilee Hospital on January 1, 1938, Frederick Garnham of 1227 Government Street, aged 78 years, died. He was born in London, England, and had been a resident of this city since 1914. Survived by his widow, at home; two sons, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Andrews, Victoria, and a daughter, Mrs. Robert Neilson, who will be in charge of interment in the family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery.

FOWLER—In this city there passed away Saturday, January 1, John Fowler of 1334 Tennyson Avenue, Saanich. The late Mr. Fowler was a woodstock man and moved to this city 17 years ago from Oak Bluff, Man. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. John Fowler, and a son, William Cuthbertson, and one nephew, Mr. Cuthbertson, Oak Bluff, Man.

Funeral services will be held Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, from the parlors of the G. J. Curry & Son Funeral Home. Rev. J. W. C. Williams will officiate, and the remains will be laid at rest in the Royal Oak Burial Park.

ANNOUNCEMENTS
(Continued)

DIED

MASTEN—At the family residence, 117 Monterey Avenue, there passed away Sunday evening, January 2, Raymond Masten, at the age of 14 years. Born at Edmonton, he had been brought to this city with his parents to this city eight years ago. He was a student at the Royal School and his passing will be keenly felt by his wide circle of friends. He leaves in sorrow his mother, at the family residence, 117 Monterey Avenue, and his father, J. H. Masten, 1845 Fort Street. His father, John J. Masten, predeceased him on February 19, 1937.

Private funeral services will be held Wednesday afternoon, January 3, at 3 o'clock, from the parlors of the S. J. Curry Funeral Home, and interment will be made in the Royal Oak Burial Park.

ANDERSON—There passed away in this city John McCall Anderson, aged 53 years. The late Mr. Anderson was born in Scotland, and had resided here for 27 years. He is survived by a sister, a brother, and a brother and two sisters in Scotland.

The remains are resting in the McCall Anderson Funeral Home, and an announcement of the funeral will be made later.

CATTERALL—There passed away on Sunday, January 2, at St. Joseph's Hospital, Florence Catterall, her late residence, 1126 Government Street, as survived by five brothers and one sister, Harry, John, Frank and Charles. The late Mr. Catterall was a native of all of Victoria; Richard Catterall, residing in Seattle.

The services will be strictly private, after which the remains will be cremated at the Royal Oak Crematorium. It is requested that no flowers be sent. Arrangements are in the hands of the Thomson Funeral Home.

HARVEY—At the Royal Jubilee Hospital on Tuesday, January 4, 1938, there passed away at the age of 52 years, Walter Tyler Gage, late residence, 1911 North Douglas Street. Born in Cheltenham, England, in 1885, he came to Canada 23 years ago and for the last 10 years had been residing in Victoria. Mr. Gage had been connected with the mining government since 1918 and since 1926 had been an active member of the British Columbia Federation of Miners. The late Mr. Gage survived his passing, besides his loving wife, at the family residence, one son, Robert, and two daughters, Mrs. Robert of Vancouver, and Reginald of Smithers, B.C., besides other relatives in the U.S.

Funeral services will be conducted in the chapel of the Sands Mortuary Ltd. on Wednesday, January 5, at 2 o'clock. Rev. R. Alan Gardner will officiate, and the remains will be laid at rest in the Royal Oak Burial Park.

JAMES—Passed away in this city January 3, Mr. Jessie James, aged 20 years, a native of England, and a student at the University of Victoria. His remains are resting in the Royal Oak Burial Park for the last 25 years.

The funeral has been arranged to take place on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. C. Hayman will officiate. Interment Colwood Burial Park.

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ELECTION FOR

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also for COMMISSIONER OF POLICE, 1 (One).

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to the

Electors of the Municipality of Saanich

that I, require to present the said

Electors to the Council Chamber, Municipal Hall, Royal Oak, B.C., on Monday,

the 17th day of January, 1938, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of electing

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AT MONTREAL

NEW YORK (AP)—With armament issues conspicuous, selected stocks today rallied one to six points at the best.

It was a crawling advance, however, with the ticker tape frequently at a standstill. Profit realization also tempered the upturn.

Stocks were bellwethers of the comeback, with aircrafts, coppers and electric equipments and motors not far behind. Rails and utilities, although generally higher, were less responsive. Tobacco exhibited strength. Numerous specialties were in demand. Stock transfers were around 1,000,000 shares.

With the Presidential message water over the dam, Wall Street turned eyes on Congress in its search for market clues.

Belief that "big navy" legislation would be quickly enacted further stimulated steel, aviation and other stocks which stand to benefit from government defence needs.

(By H. A. Humber Ltd.)

Dow Jones Averages closed today as follows:

Thirty industrials—124.61, up 4.04.

Twenty rails—2980, up 0.45.

Twenty utilities—820.91, up 0.43.

Forty bonds—\$92.31, off 0.19.

High Low Close

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